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A SERIES OF EXERCISES, STUDIES, AND SONGS, DEFINING AND ILLUSTRATING THE ART OF SIGHT READING; PROGRESSIVELY ARRANGED FROM THE FIRST CONCEPTION AND PRODUCTION OF TONES TO THE MOST ADVANCED CHORAL PRACTICE

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PREFACE TO THE NEW AND REVISED EDITION.

The New and Revised Edition of the First Reader of the Normal Music Course is divided into three parts.

A series of exercises and short songs for actual practice and study forms Part First.

Part Second extends such exercises in gradual progression and introduces two-part music: the songs are also of greater length.

Part Third contains a few rote-songs, to which a pianoforte accompaniment has been added.

The exercises of the first and second parts are the pupil's first real work in sight-reading, during the study of which rote-songs should only be used for recreation.

The diagram at the beginning is a graphic representation of the major scale, and shows the relative pitch of the sounds, and upon it may be studied all the difficulties introduced in this Reader.

The diagram, either copied upon the blackboards or as found among the charts, should be practised as a regular daily study until any succession of tones, whether in order or otherwise, can be given without hesitation.

It is not deemed good economy to incumber the pages of the book with suggestions and directions designed solely for the teacher, but a manual, especially prepared for the guidance of teachers, accompanies this book, and, as it thoroughly exhibits the mode of procedure, is indispensable to every teacher. In the manual will be found an illustration of every prin-

ciple and a clear explanation of each step to be followed as it is presented for study.

We would acknowledge our indebtedness to Messrs. Lee & Shepard, Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Estes & Lauriat, of Boston, Geo. Routledge & Sons, McLoughlin Bros., A. D. F. Randolph & Co., of New York, publishers, and to many authors of poems introduced in this Course, for their permission to use the same for musical settings.

The music herein contained has been composed, compiled, and arranged by John W. Tufts.

The true educational principle of instruction, already known to the best teachers in other directions, has been introduced and applied to music in this course, and most successfully used by H. E. Holt in the public schools of Boston.

The authors cannot refrain from adding in this Preface to the New and Revised Edition, an expression of their deep appreciation of the generous favor with which the Normal Music Course has been received. Though confident at the outset of the success which would attend the intelligent use of the course of instruction here outlined, this confidence is now confirmed by the experience and observation of a large and constantly increasing number of the most distinguished educators and directors of music in our land. It has been a source of much satisfaction to the authors also to note the success which has attended the intelligent use of the Readers and Charts in the hands of *regular teachers* in the schools — a fact which unmistakably proves that the regular teachers in our schools *can*, under competent supervision, teach vocal music as successfully as they teach other branches of study.

Vocal music has a rightful place as a regular branch of study in all our schools. This place will be ever afterward conceded whenever and wherever it is once regularly introduced and properly taught.

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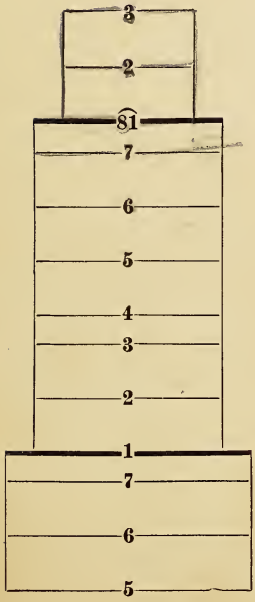

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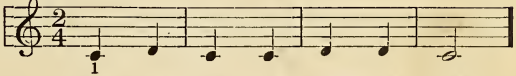

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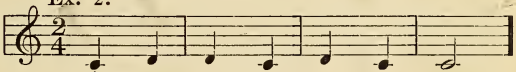

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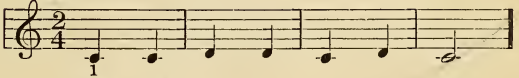

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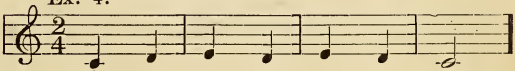

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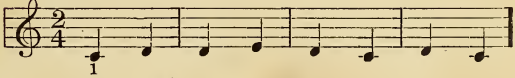

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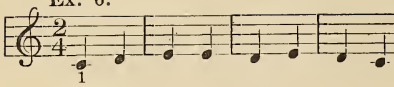

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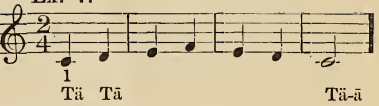

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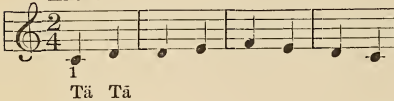

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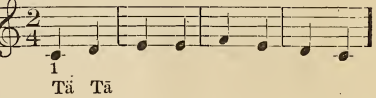

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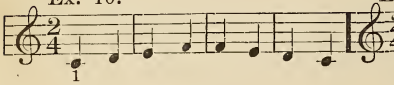

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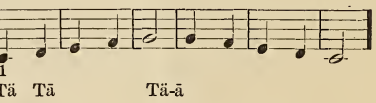

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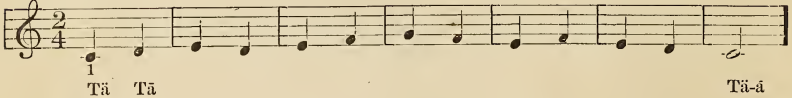

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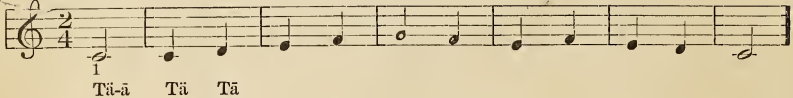

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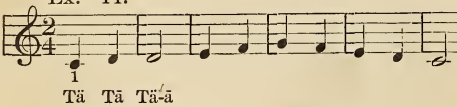

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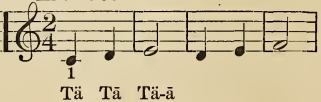

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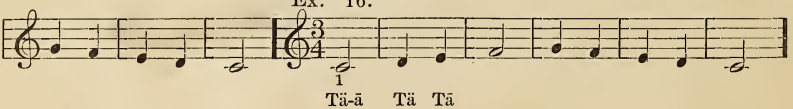

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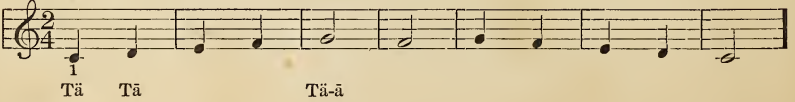

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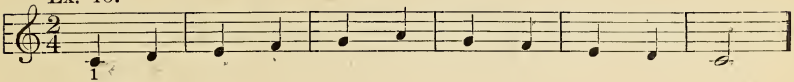

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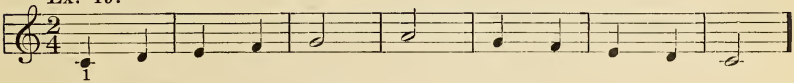

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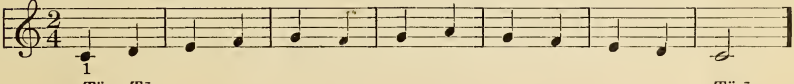

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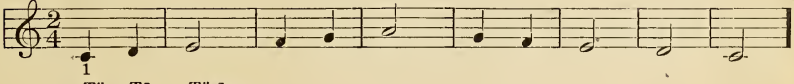

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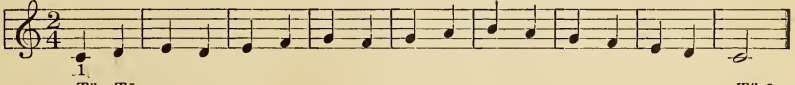

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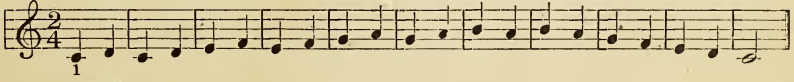

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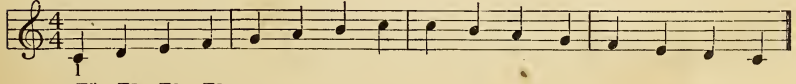

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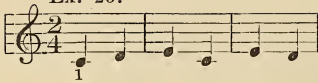

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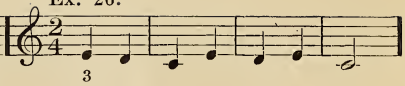

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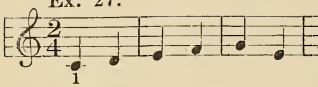

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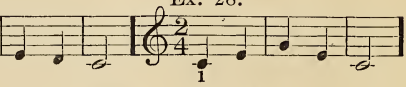

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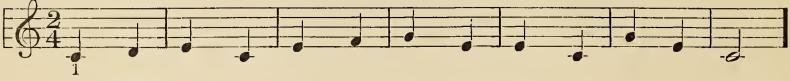

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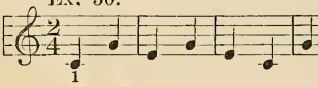

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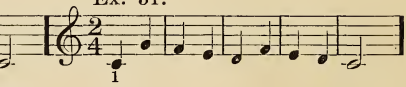

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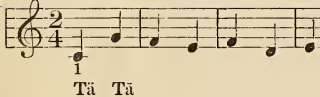

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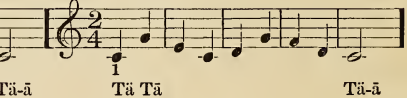

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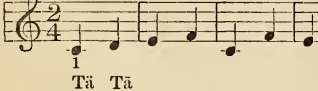

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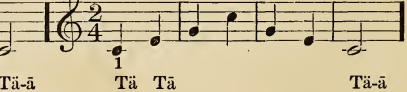

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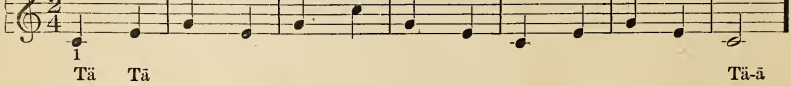

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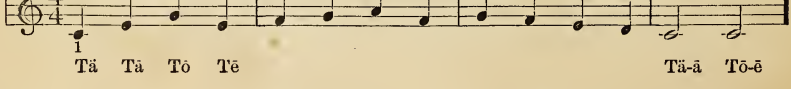

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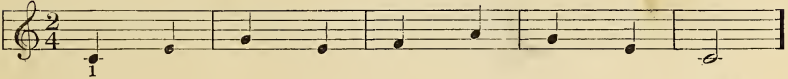

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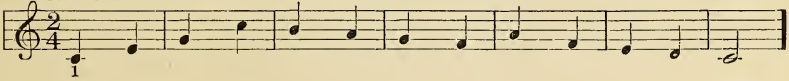

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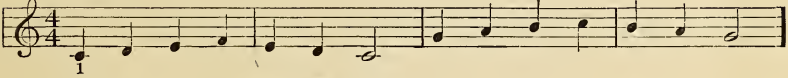

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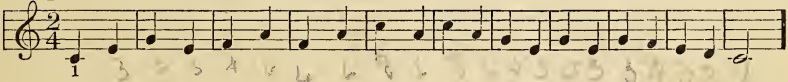

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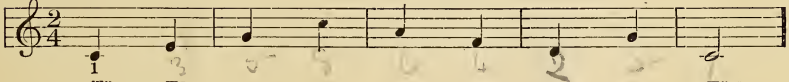

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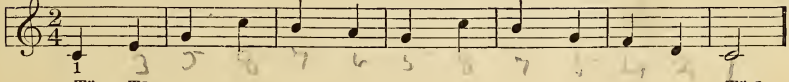

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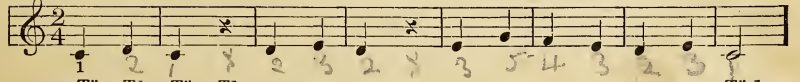

Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā

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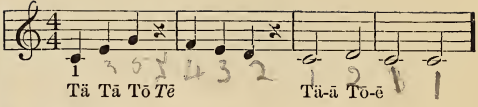

Tä Tā Tō *Tē* Tä-ā Tō-ē

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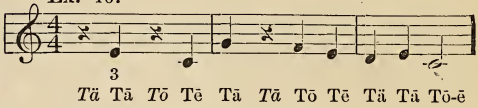

Tä Tā *Tō* Tē Tā *Tā* Tō Tē Tä Tā Tō-ē

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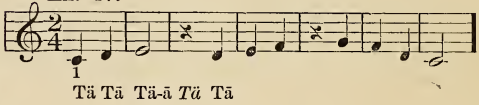

Tä Tā Tä-ā *Tä* Tā

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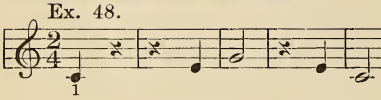

Tä *Tā* *Tä* Tā Tä-ā

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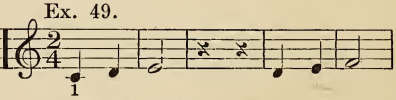
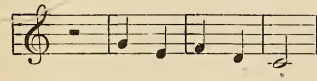


Tä Tā Tä-ā *Tä* *Tā*



Tä-ā

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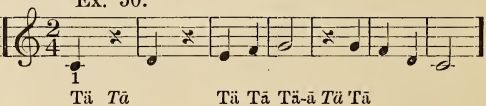

Tä *Tā* Tä Tā Tä-ā *Tä* Tā

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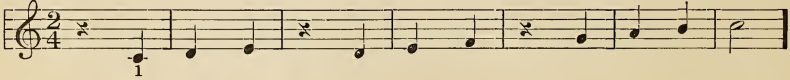

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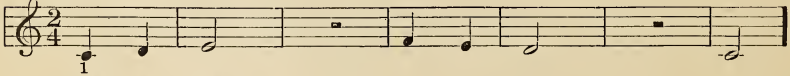

Tä Tā Tä-ā *Tä-ā*

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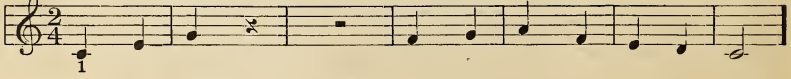

Tä Tā Tä *Tā* *Tä-ā* Tä-ā

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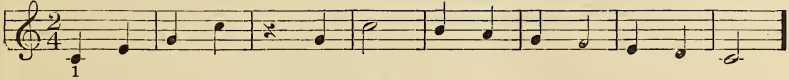

Tā Tā *Tā* Tā Tā-ā

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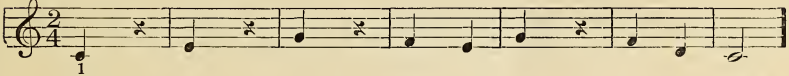

Tā *Tā* Tā Tā Tā-ā

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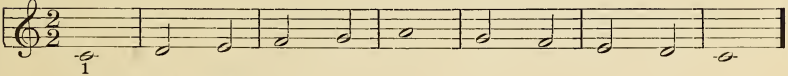

Tā-ā Tā Tā

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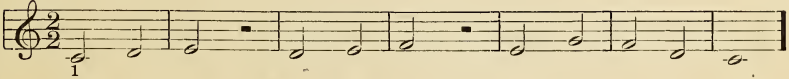

Tā Tā Tā *Tā* Tā-ā

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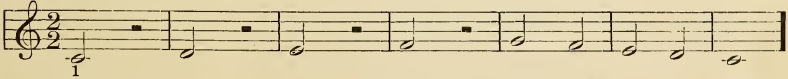

Tā *Tā* Tā Tā Tā-ā

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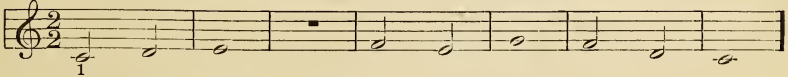

Tā Tā Tā-ā *Tā-ā*

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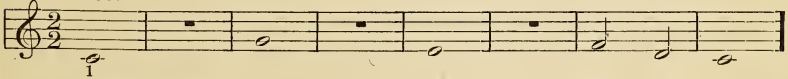

Tā-ā *Tā-ā* Tā Tā

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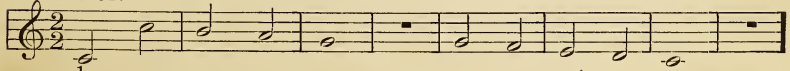

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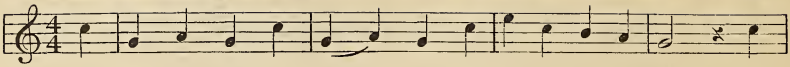

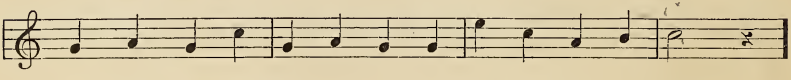

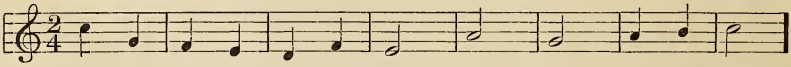

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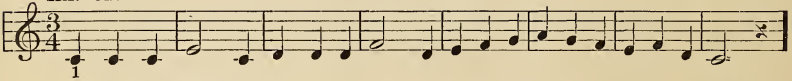

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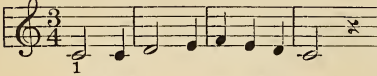

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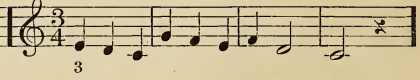

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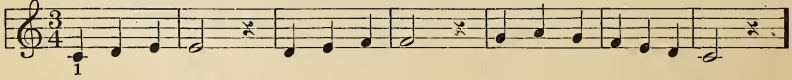

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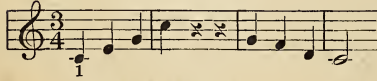

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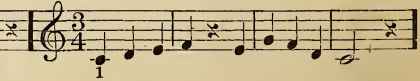

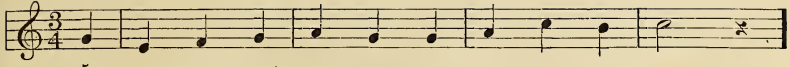

5
An un - truth once ut - tered For - ev - er is told.

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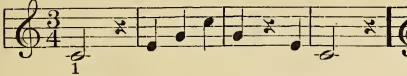

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Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē

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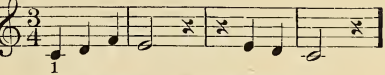

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Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* *Tā* Tā Tē

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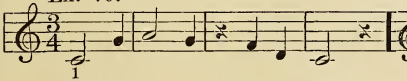

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Tä-ā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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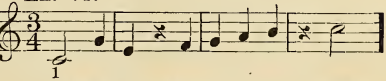

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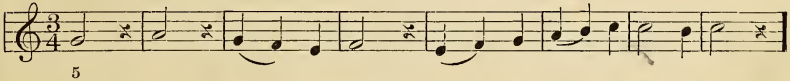

5
Rain, rain, go a - way, Come a - gain an - oth - er day.

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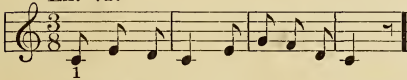

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Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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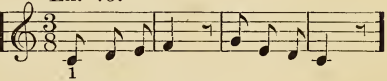

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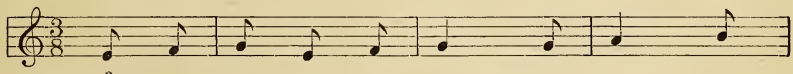
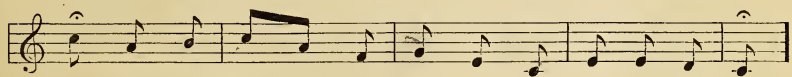
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

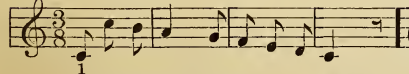


3
Said a drop to a drop, "Just look at



me! I'm the fin - - est rain - drop you ev - er did see."

Ex. 74.



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Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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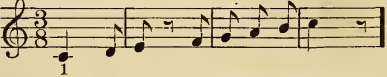

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Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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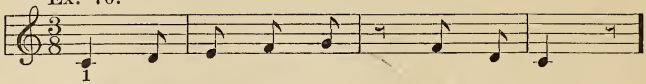

Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē *Tä* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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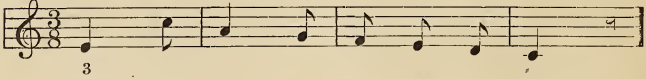
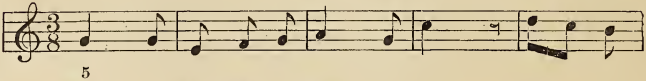
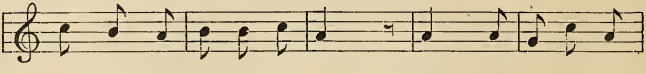


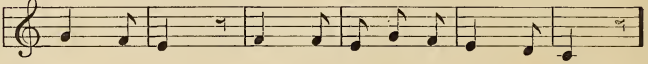
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



Pus - sy, where have you been to - day? In the



mead-ows a - sleep in the hay. Pus - sy, you are a



la - zy cat, If you have done no more than that.

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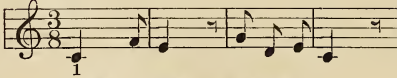

Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē

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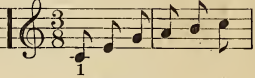

Tä Tā Tē

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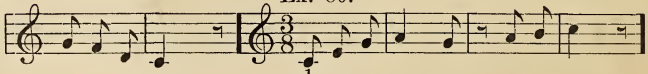
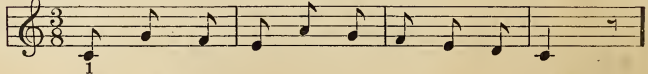


Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē *Tä* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 81.



Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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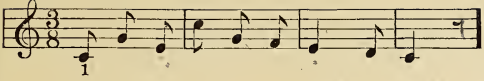

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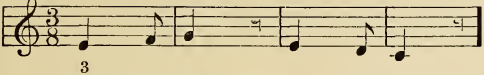

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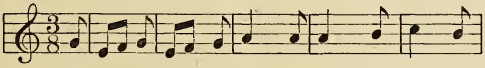

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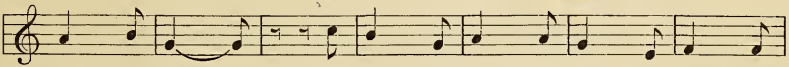
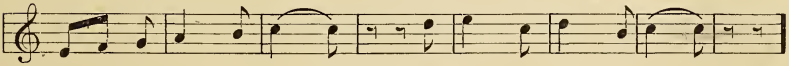
The mer-ry mice stay in their holes, And hide them-



selves by day; But when the house is still at night, The



rogues come out to play— The rogues come out to play.

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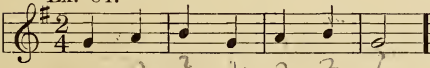

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Tä Tā Tä-ā

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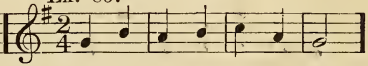

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Tä Tā Tä-ā

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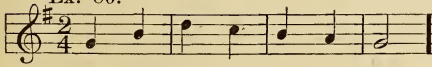

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Tä Tā Tä-ā

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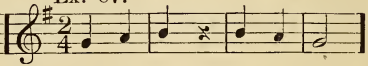

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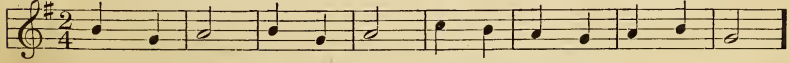
Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā



3

Come a - gain! come a - gain! Sun-shine com - eth af - ter rain.

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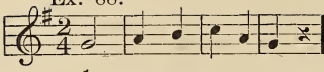

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Tä-ā Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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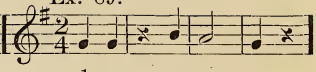

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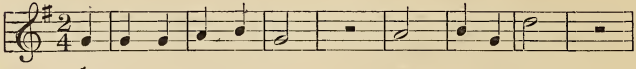
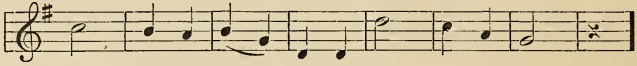
Tä Tā *Tä* Tā Tä-ā Tä *Tā*



1
I am a hon-ey bee, Buzz - ing a - way



O - ver the blos - soms The long sum-mer day.

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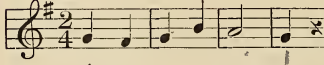

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Tä Tā Tä-ā Tä *Tā*

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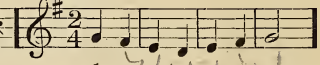

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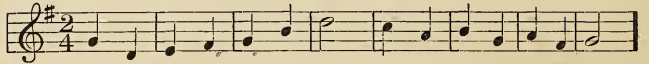
Tä Tā Tä-ā



1
Lis-ten to the A - pril rain; Broth-er Robin's come a-gain.

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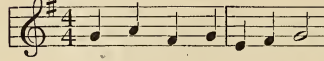

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Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä Tā Tō-ē

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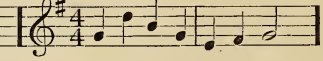

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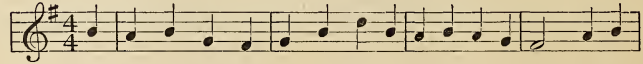
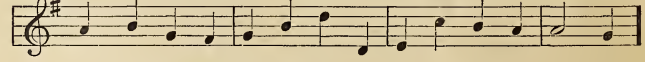
Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä Tā Tō-ē



3
In morning's light let youth be bright, Take in the sunshine tender; Then



at the close shall life's de-cline Be full of sunshine splen-dor.

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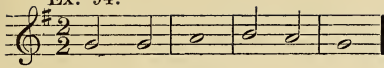

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Tä Tā Tä-ā

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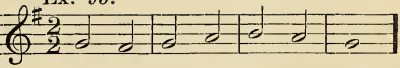

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Tä Tā Tä-ā

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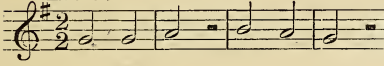

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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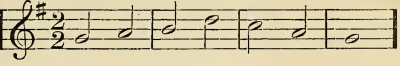

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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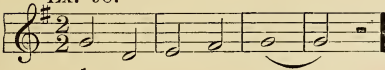

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā-ā *Tā*

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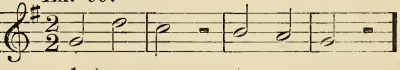

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Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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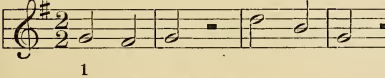

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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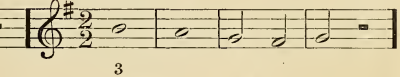
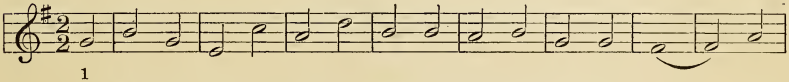
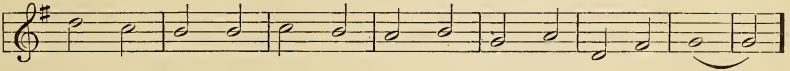


3
Tä-ā Tä Tā Tä *Tā*



1
If wisdom's ways you'd wise-ly seek, Five things ob-serve with care; *Of*



whom you speak, *to* whom you speak, And *how*, and *when*, and *where*.

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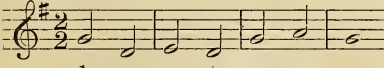

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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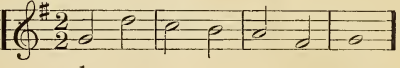

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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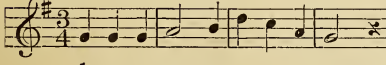

1
Tä Tä Tē Ta-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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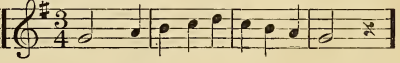

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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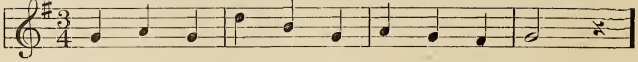

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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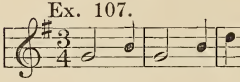

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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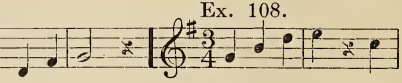

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē

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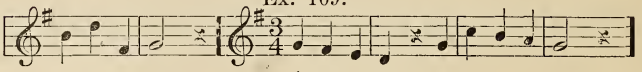

1
Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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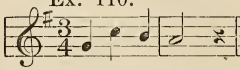

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä *Tā Tē*

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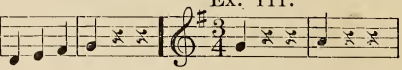

1
Tä *Tā Tē*

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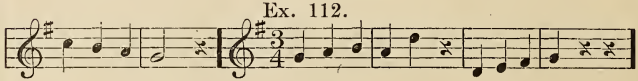

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä Tā *Tē* Tä *Tā Tē*

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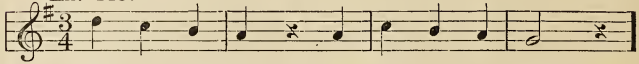
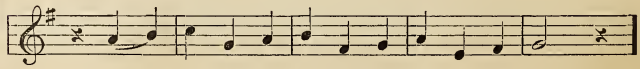


5
Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

5
Why does not wa - - ter flow up - hill?



Be - cause to flow downward is ea - si - er still.

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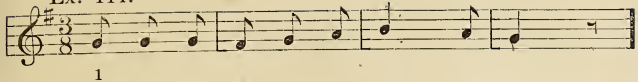

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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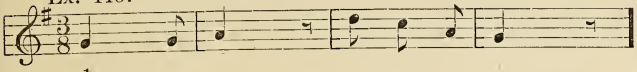
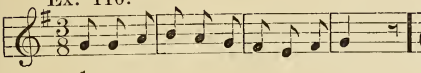


1
Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē

Ex. 116.



1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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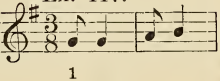

1
Tä Tā-ē

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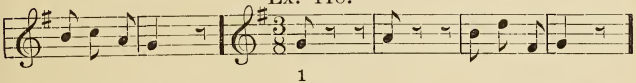

Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* 1 Tä *Tā Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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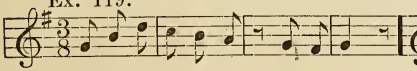

1
Tä Tā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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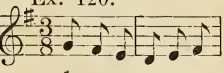
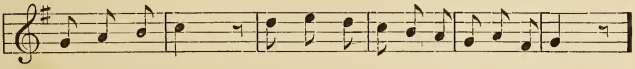
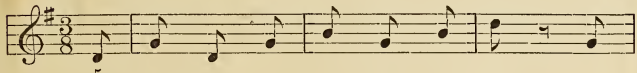


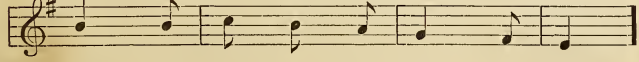
1
Tä Tā Tē



Tä-ā *Tē*



5
Old Win - ter is com - ing a - gain, a-



lack! How i - - cy and cold is he!

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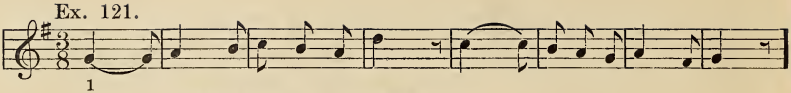

1
Tä-ā-ē Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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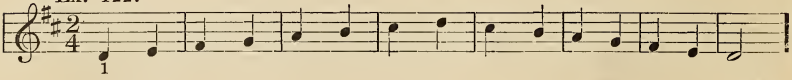

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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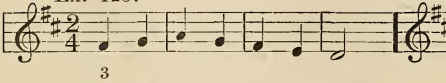

3
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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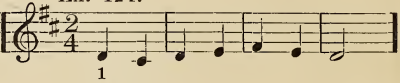

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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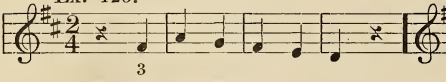

3
Tä Tā Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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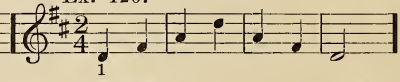

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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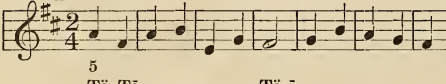
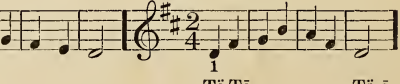
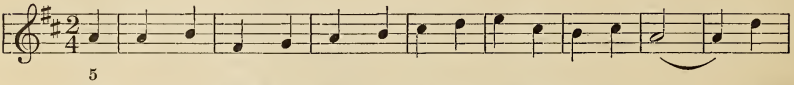


5
Tä Tā Tä-ā

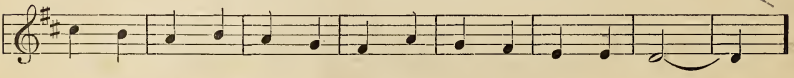
Ex. 128.



1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

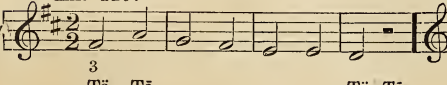


5
1. The day is gone, the night is come, The night for qui - et rest; And
2. The bee is hushed with - in the hive; Shut is the dai - sy's eye; The



ev - ery lit - tle bird has flown Home to its down - y nest.
stars a - lone are peep - ing forth From out the dark - ened sky.

Ex. 129.



3
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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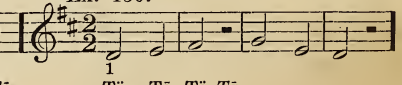


1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

Ex. 131.

1
Tä *Tā* Tä Tä

Ex. 132.

1
Tä Tā

Ex. 133.

Tä Tā Tä *Tā* 1 Tä Tä Tä-ā

Ex. 134.

5
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

Ex. 135.

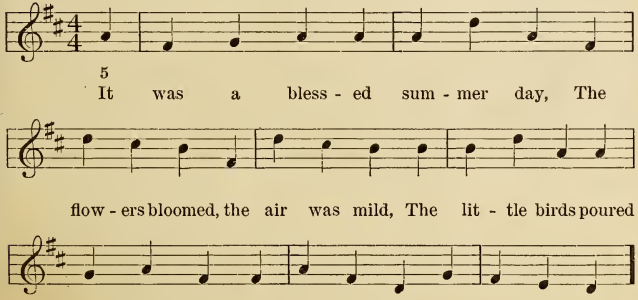
5
Tä Tā Tä Tā

Ex. 136.

Tä *Tā* 1 Tä Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 137.

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā Tä *Tā*



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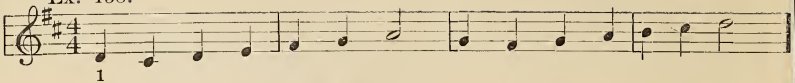

1
Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä Tā Tō-ē

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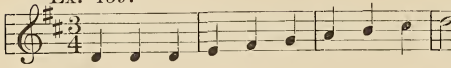

1
Tä Tā Tē

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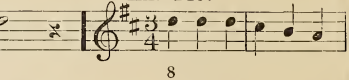

Tä-ā *Tē*

8
Tä Tā Tē

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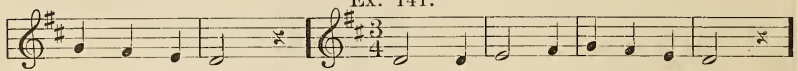

Tä-ā *Tē*

1
Tä-ā Tē

Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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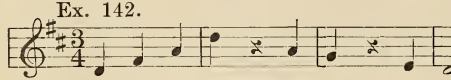

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē

Tä-ā *Tē*

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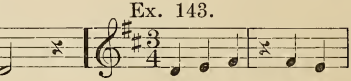

1
Tä Tā Tē *Tä* Tā Tē

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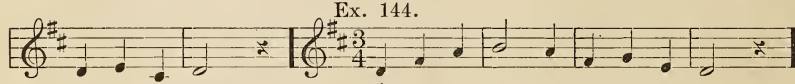

Tä-ā *Tē*

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē

Tä-ā *Tē*

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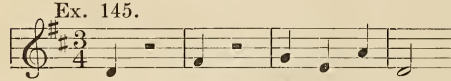

1
Tä *Tā-ē*

Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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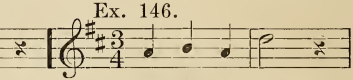

5
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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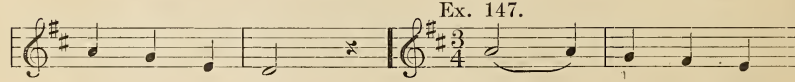
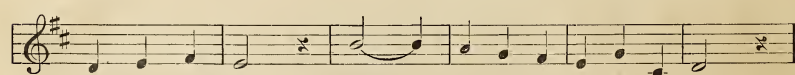
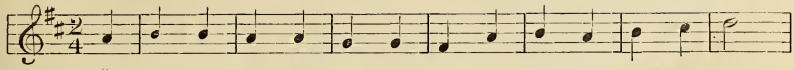


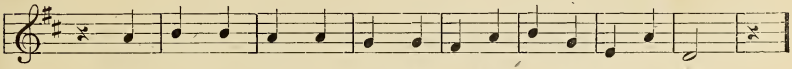
5
Tä - ā - ē Tā Tā Tē



Tä-ā *Tē*

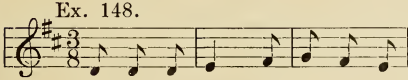


5
You lit - tle twinkling stars that shine A - bove my head so high,



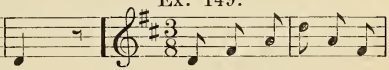
If I had but a pair of wings, I'd join you in the sky.

Ex. 148.

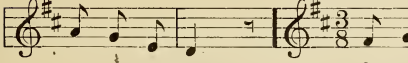


1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 149.



1
Tä Tā Tē



Tä-ā *Tē*

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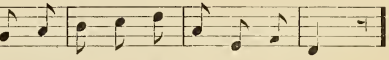
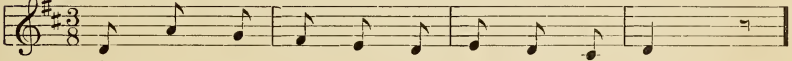
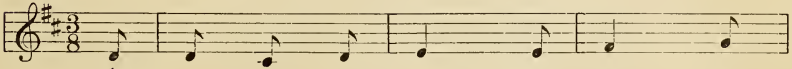


3
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

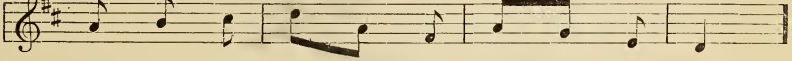
Ex. 151.



1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



1
The mer - - ri - - est month in all the



year, Is the mer - - ry month of May.

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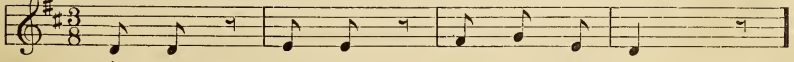

1
Tä Tā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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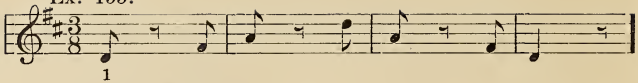

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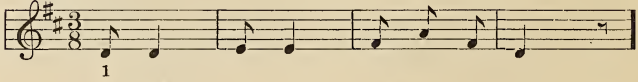

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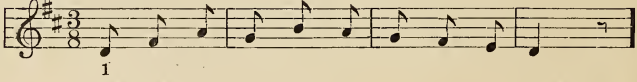

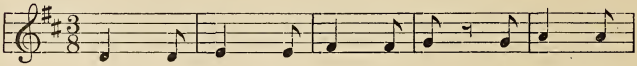

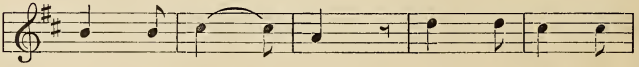

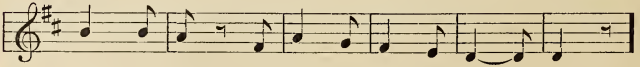

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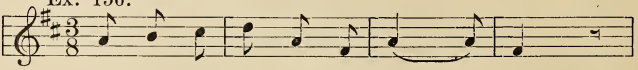

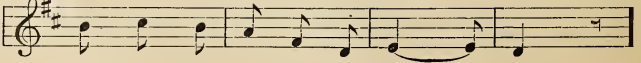

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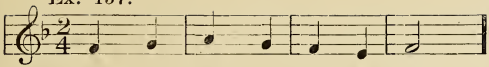

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Tā Tā Tā-ā

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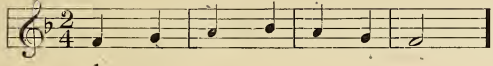

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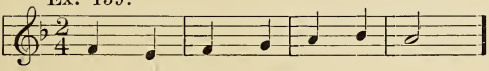

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Tā Tā Tā-ā

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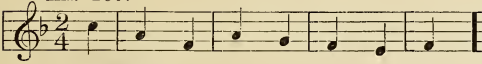

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Tā Tā Tā Tā

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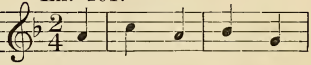

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Tā Tā Tā

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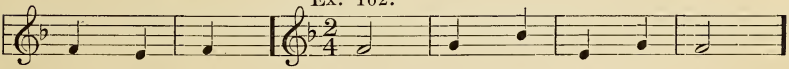

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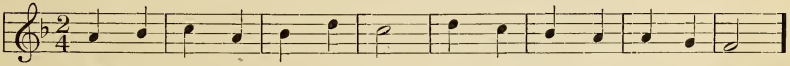

3
Why should you be dull and sad? Noth - ing can be half so bad.

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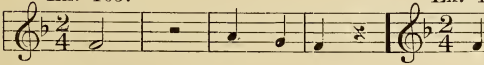

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Tā-ā *Tā-ā* Tā Tā Tā *Tā*

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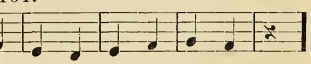

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Tā Tā Tā *Tā*

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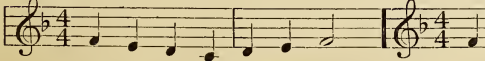

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Tā Tā Tō Tē Tā Tā Tō-ē

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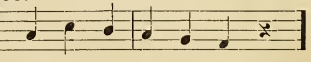

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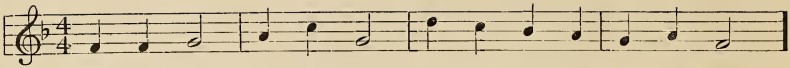
Tā Tā Tō Tē Tā Tā Tō *Tē*



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Au - tumn day! fruit - ful day! See what God hath given a - way!

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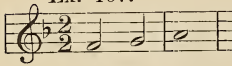

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Tä Tä Tä-ä

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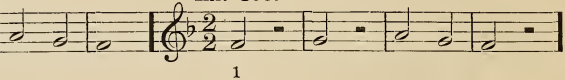

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Tä *Tä* Tä Tä

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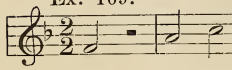

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Tä *Tä* Tä Tä

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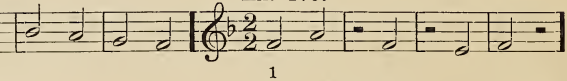

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Tä Tä *Tä* Tä Tä *Tä*

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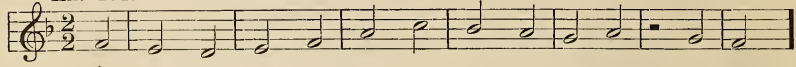

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Tä Tä Tä *Tä* Tä Tä

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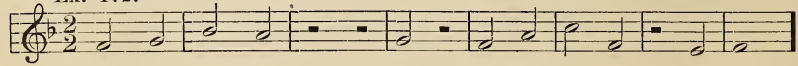

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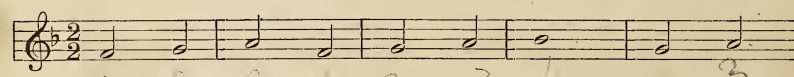
Tä Tä *Tä* *Tä* Tä *Tä* *Tä* Tä Tä-ä



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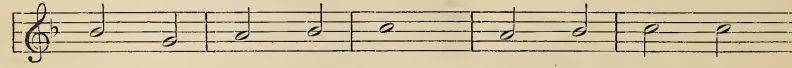
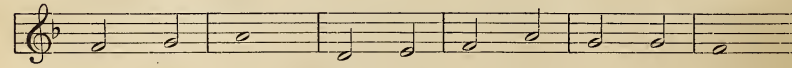
Now with wea - ri - ness op - prest, I would



close my eyes and rest; Let thine eyes, our



Fa - ther, be On the child that prays to Thee.

Ex. 173.

1
Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē* Tā-ā Tē

Ex. 174.

1
Tā Tā Tē

Ex. 175.

Tā-ā *Tē* Tā Tā-ē Tā-ā *Tē*

Ex. 176.

1
Tā Tā-ē Tā-ā Tē Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē*

Ex. 177.

1
Tā-ā Tē

Ex. 178.

Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē* Tā *Tā* Tē Tā Tā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē*

Ex. 179.

1
Tā Tē Tā Tā Tē Tā

Ex. 180.

5
Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā Tē

Ex. 181.

Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē* Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā-ē Tā-ā *Tē*

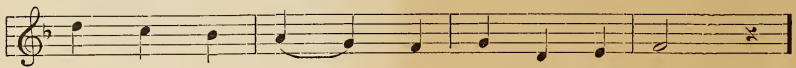
Ex. 182.

1
Tē Tā-ā Tē Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā

Ex. 183.

1
Tā Tā Tē Tā-ā *Tē*

3
Come, pret - ty Vi - - o - - let, Win - ter's a - way:



Come, for with - out you May is - n't May,

Ex. 184.

3
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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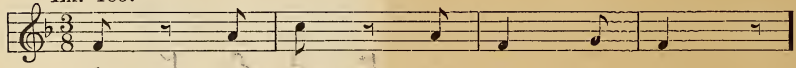

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Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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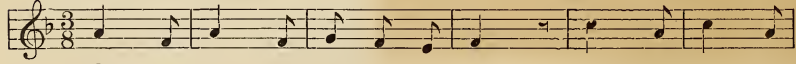

3
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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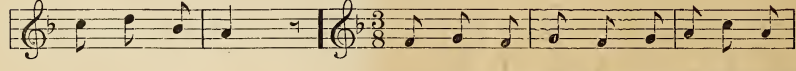
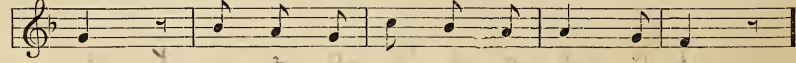


Tä Tā Té



Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē

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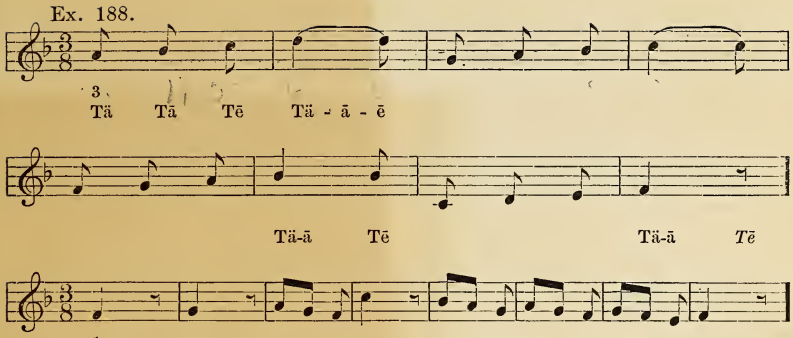

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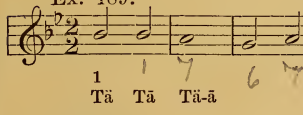

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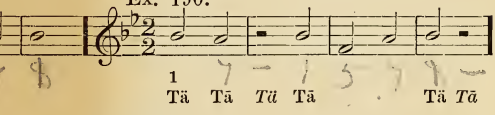

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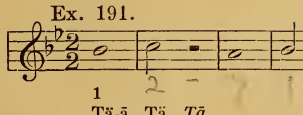

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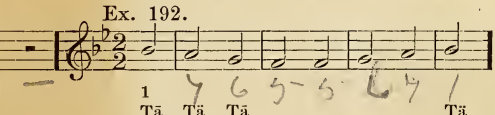

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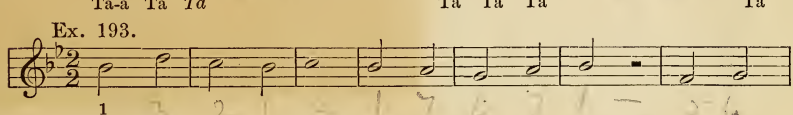

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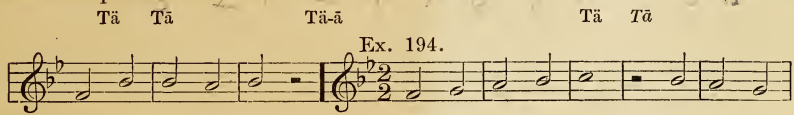

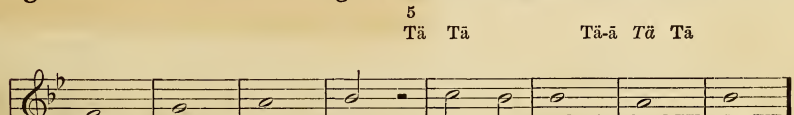

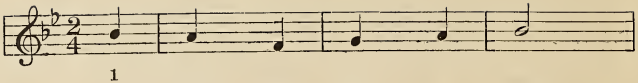

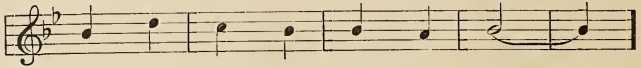

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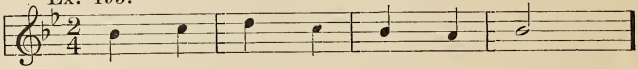

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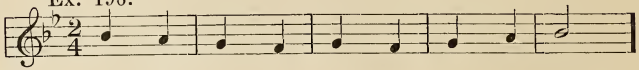

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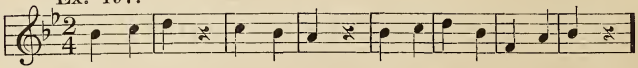

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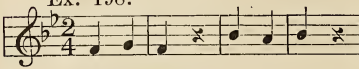

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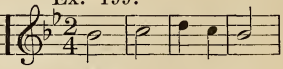

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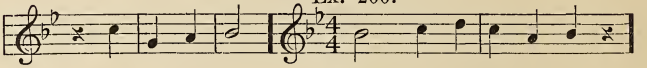

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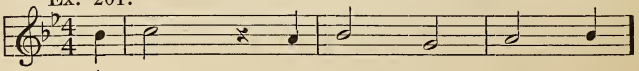
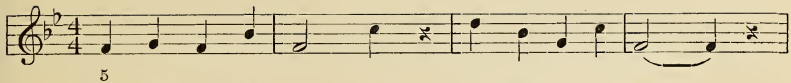
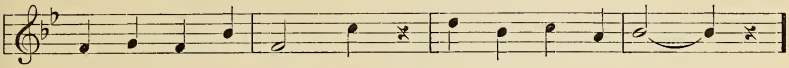


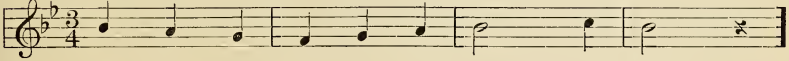


5
See the riv - ers flow - ing Down-ward to the sea,



Pour - ing all their treas - ures, Boun - ti - ful and free.

Ex. 202.



1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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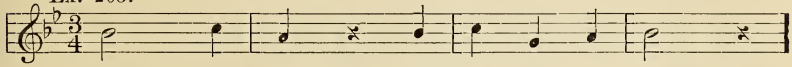

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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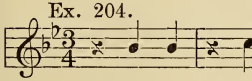

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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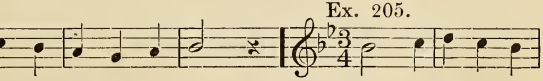

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē

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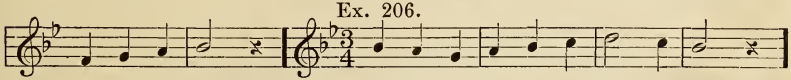

Tä-ā *Tē* 1 Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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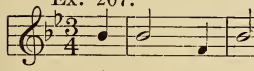

1
Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā*

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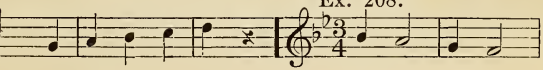

1
Tä Tā-ē

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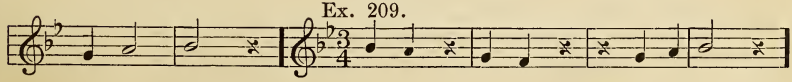

Tä-ā *Tē* 1 Tä Tā *Tē* *Tä* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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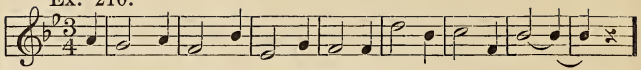
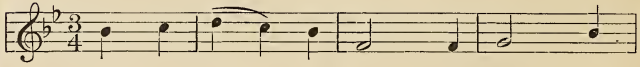
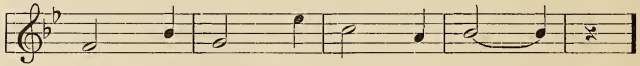


7
Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā-ē-ä *Tā*

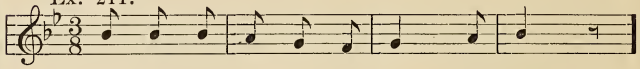


1
'Tis the sum - mer time, When leaves grow



green, And flowers are fresh and gay.

Ex. 211.



1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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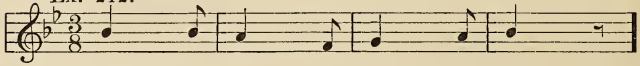
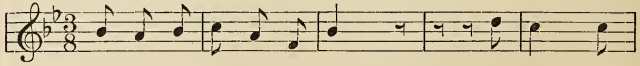
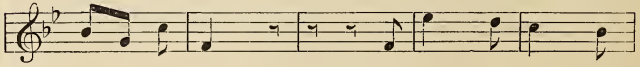


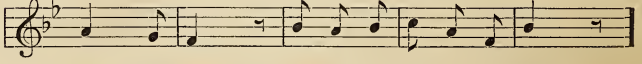
1
Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



1
Dick - o - ry, dick - o - ry, dock! The mouse ran

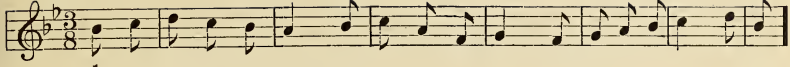


up the clock; The clock struck one, The



mouse ran down; Dick - o - ry, dick - o - ry, dock!

Ex. 213.



1
Tā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä

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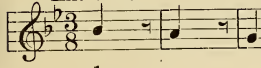

1
Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē

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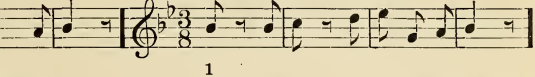

1
Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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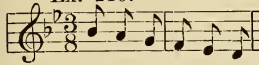

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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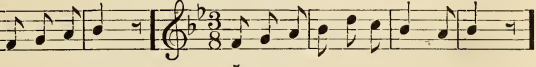

5
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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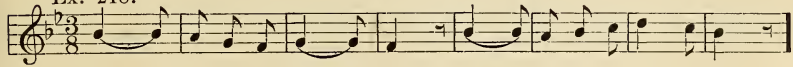
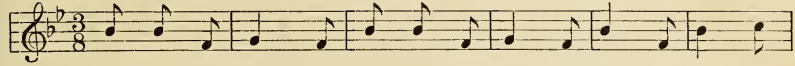
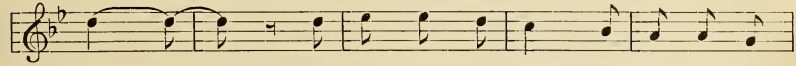


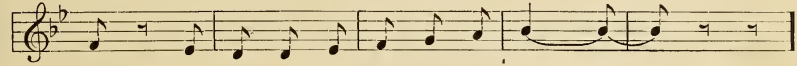
1
Tä-ā-ē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē



1
Lit - tle Jack Hor - ner Sat in a cor - ner, Eat - ing Christ-mas

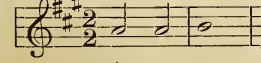


pie! He put in his thumb, and took out a



plum, And said, "What a good boy am I!"

Ex. 219.



1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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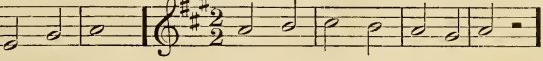

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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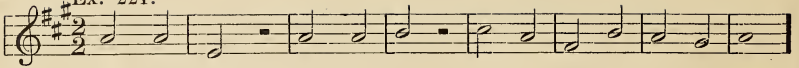

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā

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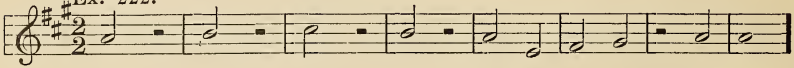

1
Tä *Tā* Tä Tā *Tā* Tä Tä-ā

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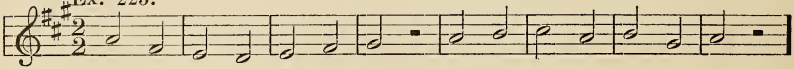

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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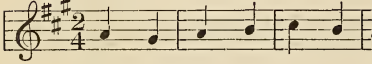

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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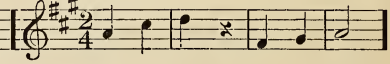
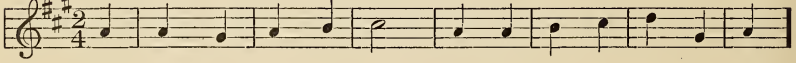
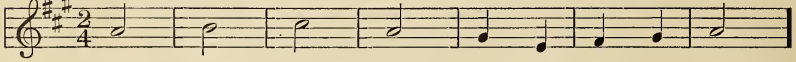


1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā



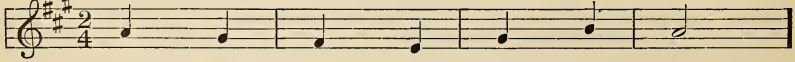
1
Not much to make us hap - - py, Do an - y of us need.

Ex. 226.



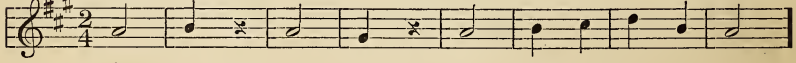
1
Tä-ā Tä Tā

Ex. 227.

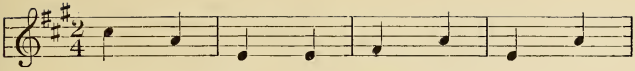


1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

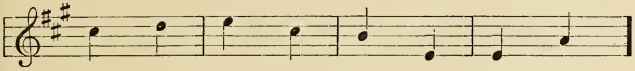
Ex. 228.



1
Tä-ā Tä *Tā* Tä Tā

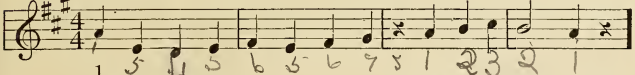


3
Ev - ery - thing is laugh - ing, sing - ing,

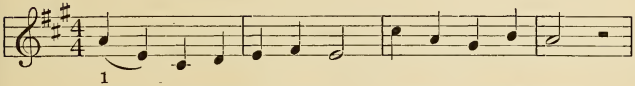


3
All the pret - ty flowers are spring - ing.

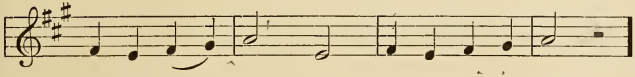
Ex. 229.



1
Tä Tā Tō Tē *Tä* Tā Tō Tē Tä-ā Tō *Tē*

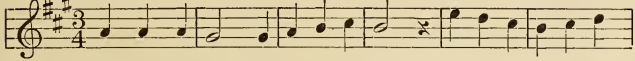


1
Pine tree and wil - low tree, Fring-ed elm and larch;



Don't you think May - time's Pleas-ant - er than March?

Ex. 230.



1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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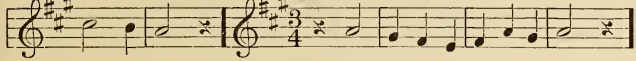

1
Tä Tā-ē Tā Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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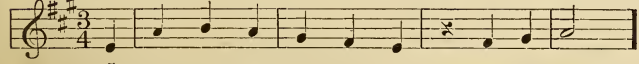
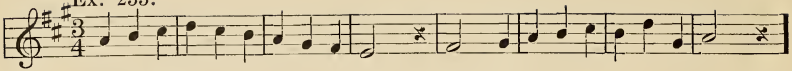


5
Tē Tā Tā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē Tä-ā

Ex. 233.



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Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē

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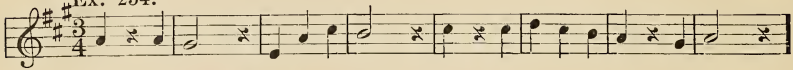

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Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē

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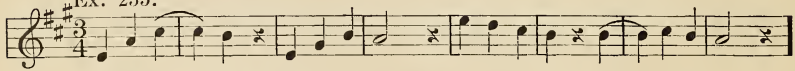
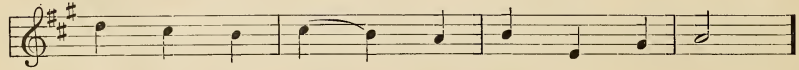


5
Tä Tā Tē - ä Tā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä *Tā* Tē - ä Tā Tē

1
One thing at a time, And that done well, Is a



ver - y good rule, As man - y can tell.

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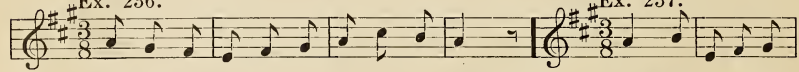
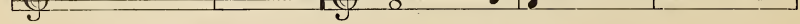


1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 237.

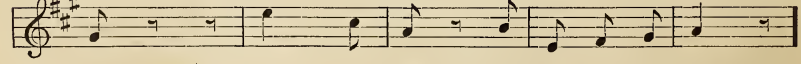
1
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē

Ex. 238.



Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tā* *Tē*



Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 239.

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē

Ex. 240.

Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 241.

1
Tä Tā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 242.

3
Tä-ā-ē Tä Tā Tē

Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

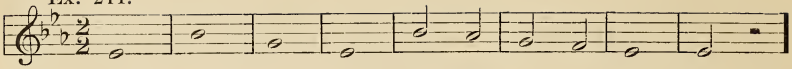
Ex. 243.

1
Tä-ā *Tē* *Tā* Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē

5
Lit - tle Bo-Peep has lost her sheep, And can't tell where to find them;

Let them a - lone and they'll come home, Wagging their tails be - hind them.

Ex. 244.



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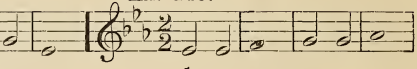
Tä-ā Tā Tā Tā *Tā*

Ex. 245.

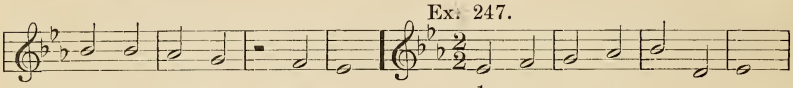
1
Tä-ā Tā *Tā* Tā Tā

Ex. 246.

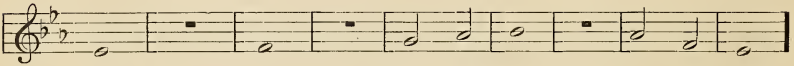


1
Tā Tā Tā-ā

Ex. 247.



Tā Tā 1 Tā Tā Tā-ā



Tā-ā *Tā-ā* Tā Tā

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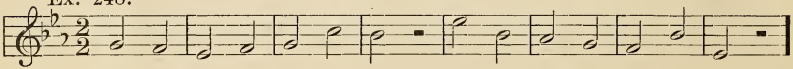

3
Tā Tā Tā *Tā*

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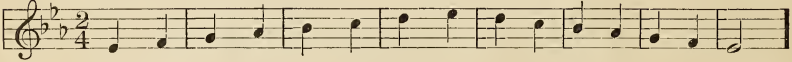
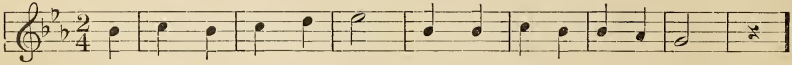


1
Tā Tā Tā-ā



5
'Twas an Oc - to - ber even - ing, So still, and clear and cold.

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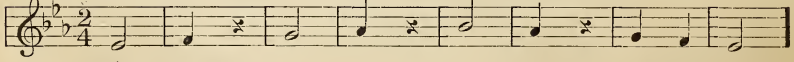

1
Tā-ā Tā *Tā* Tā Tā

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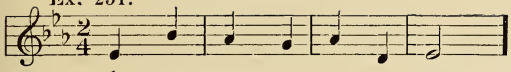

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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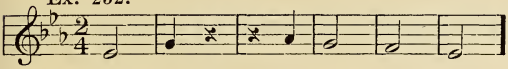
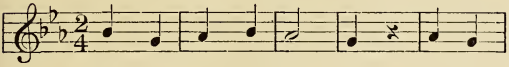
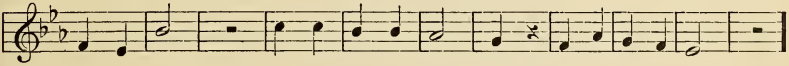


1
Tä-ā Tä *Tā* *Tä* Tā



5
Now the sun de - part - ing, Leaves us



in the night; One still watches o'er us, Who can give us light.

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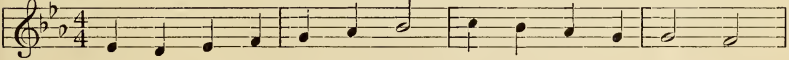
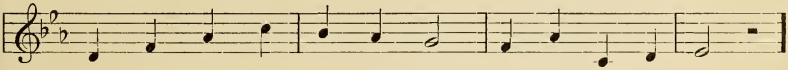
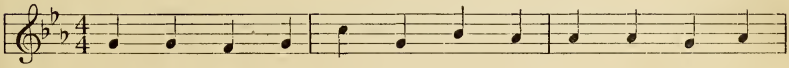


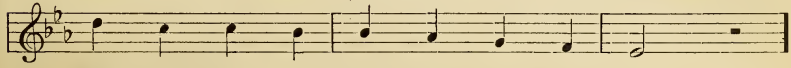
1
Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä Tā Tō-ē Tä-ā Tō ē



Tä-ā *Tō-ē*



3
Beau - ti - ful and still and ho - ly, Like the spir - it



of the low - ly Comes the qui - et rain.

Ex. 254.

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 255.

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 256.

1
Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 257.

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 258.

1
Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 259.

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 260.

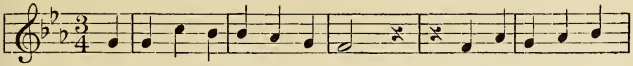
1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 261.

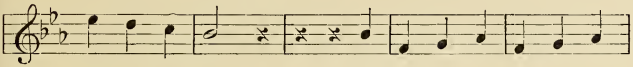
1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā-ē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä *Tā* Tē-ä *Tā* Tē

Ex. 262.

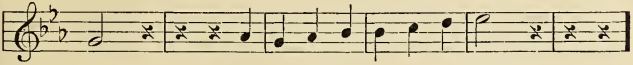
1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



Here prim-ros-es, cowslips are out, And the fields are with

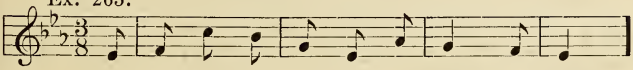


dai-sies all gay; While but-ter-flies flit-ting a-



bout, Are glad in the sunshine to play.

Ex. 263.



1
Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā

Ex. 264.

3
Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tā Tē

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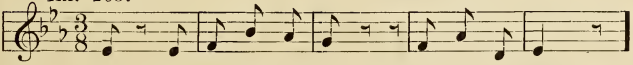

1
Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā Tē* Tä-ā *Tē*

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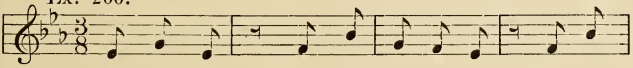
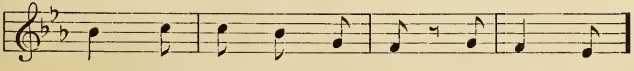


1
Tä Tā Tē *Tā* Tā Tē



Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä-ā Tē

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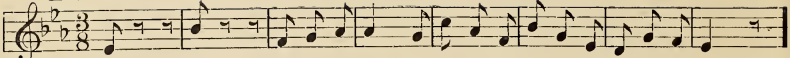

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Tä *Tā Tē* Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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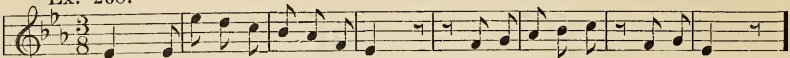

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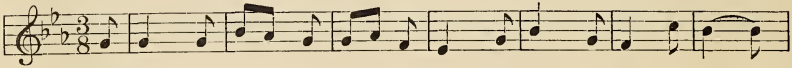
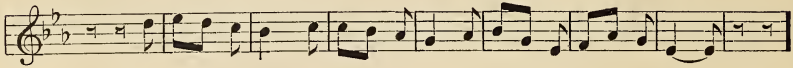
Tä-ā-ē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē Tā* Tā Tē



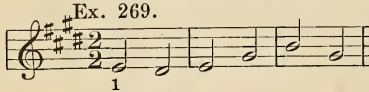
3

1. There's not a yel - low but - ter - cup, Re-turn - ing with the spring;
2. The red rose and the li - ly fair, That charm our sum-mer's day,



But it can boast a gold-en crown, As bright as an - y king.
There's not a la - dy in the land So fine - ly dressed as they.

Ex. 269.



1

Tä Tā Tä-ā

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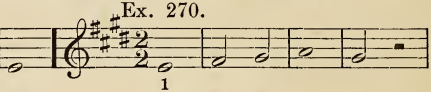
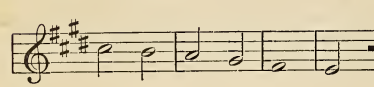


1

Tä-ā Tä Tā Tä *Tā*



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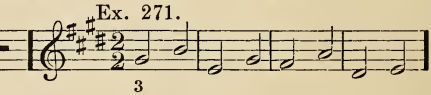
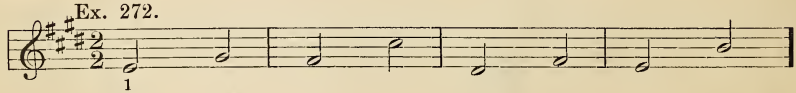


3

Tä Tā

Ex. 272.



1

Tä Tā

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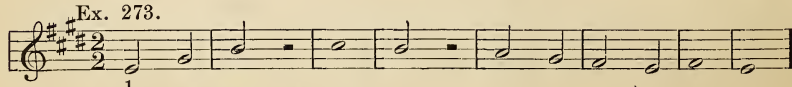

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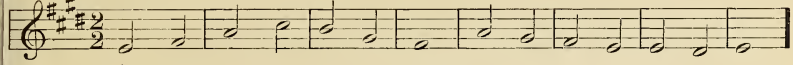
Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā

Ex. 274.



1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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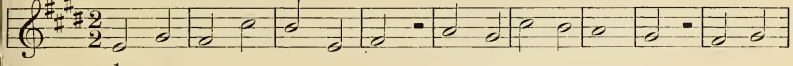
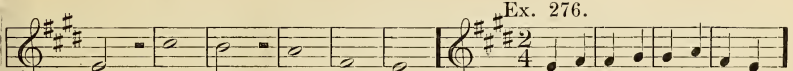


1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā* Tä-ā



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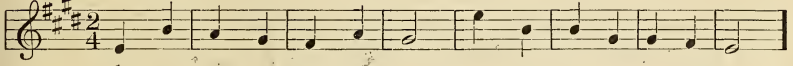
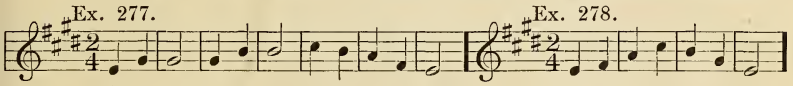


1
Tä Tā

1
Soft and qui - et, soft and slow, Down it falls, the feath-ery snow.

Ex. 277.



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Tä Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 278.

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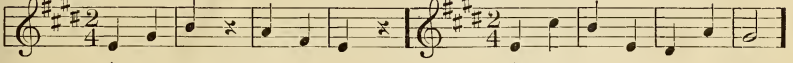
Tä Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 279.



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Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

Ex. 280.

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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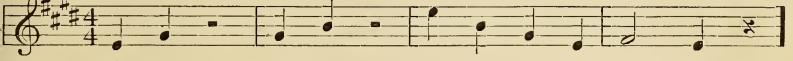

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Tä Tā *Tō-ē* Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä-ā Tō *Tē*

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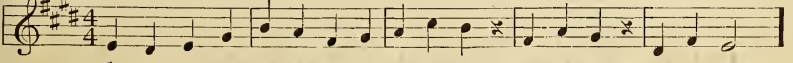

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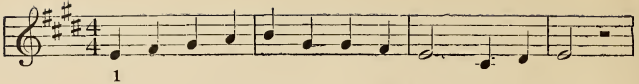
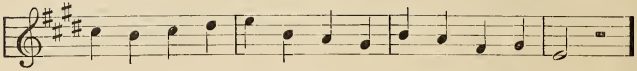
Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä Ta Tō *Te* Tä Tā Tō-ē



O - ver in the meadow, In a hole in a tree,



Lived a moth-er blue-bird, And her lit - tle bir-dies three.

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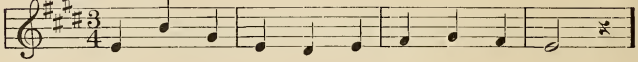

Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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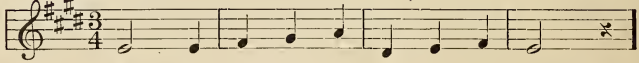

Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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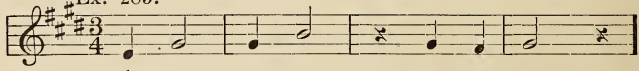

Tä Tā-ē *Tä* Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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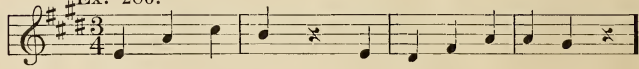

Tä Tā Tē Tä *Tā* Tē Tä Tā *Tē*

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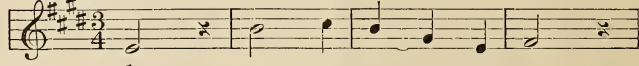
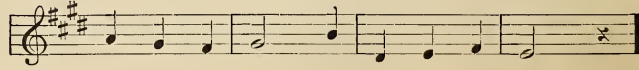


Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē



Ex. 288.

1

Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä Tä Tē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä-ā

Ex. 289.

5

Tä-ā-ē Tä Tä Tē Tä Tä *Tē* *Tä* Tä-ē Tä-ā *Tē*

5

A lit - tle tree there stood, In a pleasant and sha - dy wood.

Ex. 290.

1

Tä Tä Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 291.

1

Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 292.

5 4 3 2 6 7 1

Tä Tä Tē

1 7 6 7 1 2 3 4 2 1

Tä Tä Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 293.

1

Tä Tä-ē Tä-ā *Tē* Tä Tä Tē

Ex. 294.

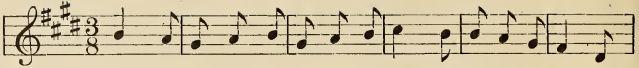
1

Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tä* Tē Tä Tä Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 295.

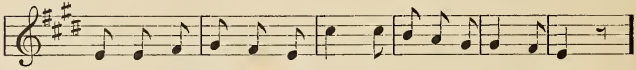
5

Tä-ā Tē Tä *Tä* Tē Tä Tä Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



5

Hey, my kit - ten, my kit-ten, And hey, my kitten, my dear; Sure



such a sweet kit - ten as this, Was never seen far nor near.

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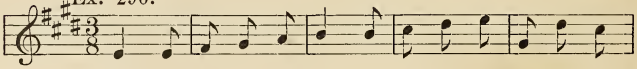

1

Tä-ā Tē Tā Tā Tē

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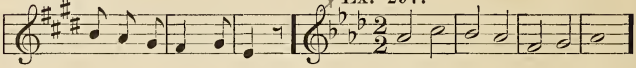

1

Tä-ā *Tē* Tā Tā Tä-ā

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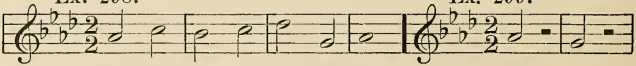


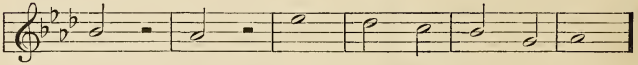
1

Tā Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 299.

1

Tā *Tā*



Tä-ā Tā Tā

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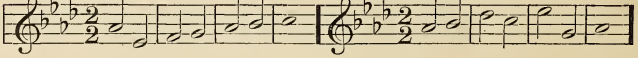


1

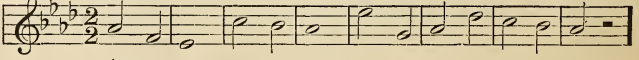
Tā Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 301.

1

Tā Tā Tä-ā

Ex. 302.



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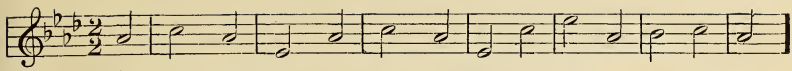
Tā Tā Tä-ā Tā *Tā*



1
There are twelve months in all the year, As I hear man - y say.

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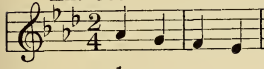

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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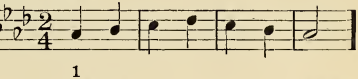

1
Tä Tā . Tä-ā

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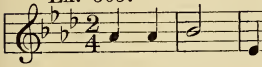

1
Tä Tā Tä-ā

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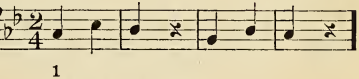

1
Tä Tā Tä *Tā*

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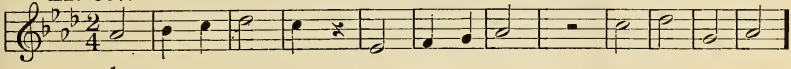
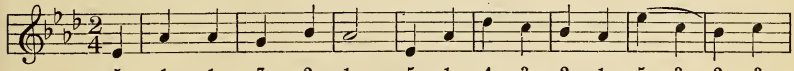
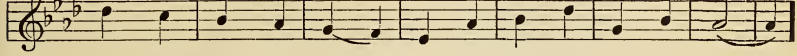


1
Tä-ā Tä Tā Tä *Tā* *Tä-ā*



5 1 1 7 2 1 5 1 4 3 2 1 5 3 2 3
We come in childhood's glad - ness, To breathe our songs of praise; . . Nor



let one note of sad - - ness, Be min - gled in our lays.

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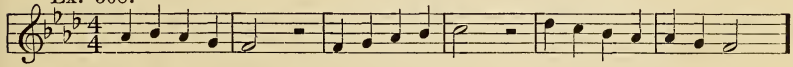

1
Tä Tā Tō Tē Tä-ā *Tō-ē* Tä Tā Tō-ē

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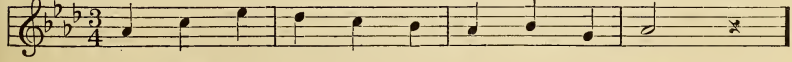
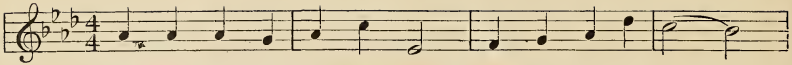
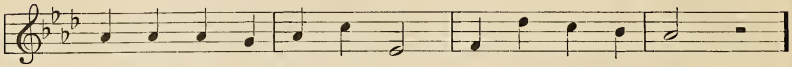


1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



1
Whis - per, whis - per through the grove, 'Tis the eve-ning breeze,



Tell - ing all its tale of love, To the as - pen trees.

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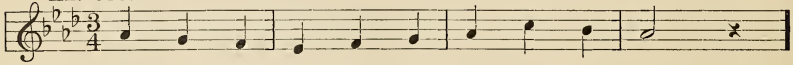

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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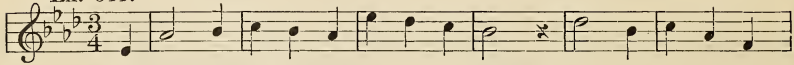

5
Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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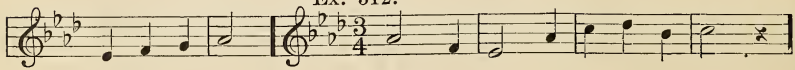

Tä-ā 1 Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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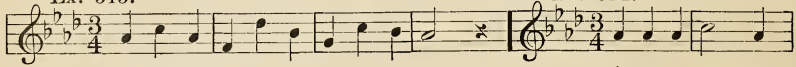

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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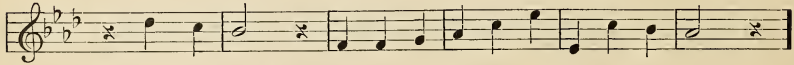

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē

Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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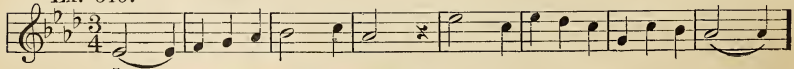

5
Tä-ā-ē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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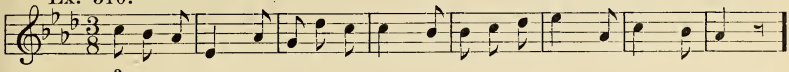
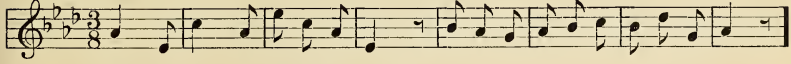
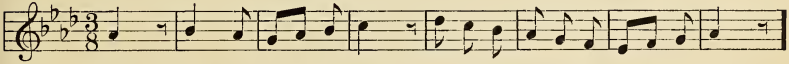


3
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

Ex. 317.



1
Tä-ā Tē Tā Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



1
Slide, slide, the ice is strong; Mer-ri-ly, mer-ri-ly, slide a-long.

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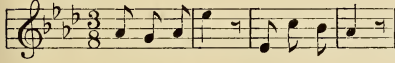

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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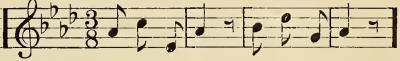

1
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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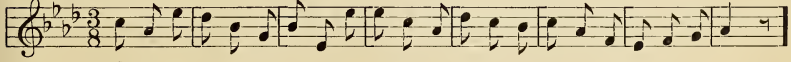

3
Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*

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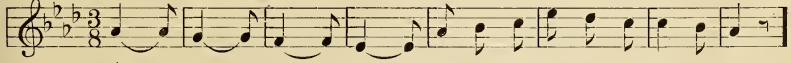

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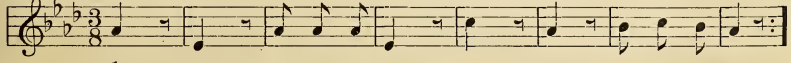
Tä-ā-ē Tä Tā Tē Tä-ā Tē Tä-ā *Tē*



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Tick, tock! What says the clock? One, two, There's work to do.

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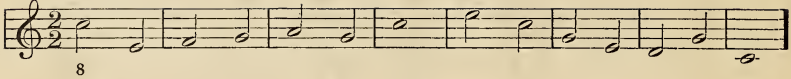

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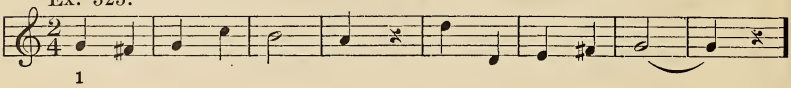

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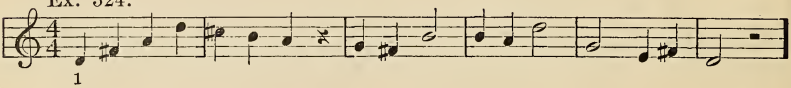

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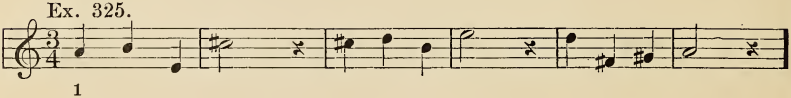

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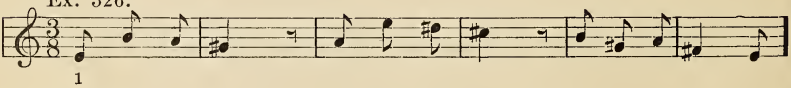

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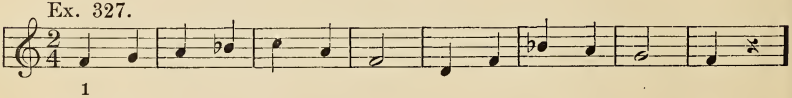

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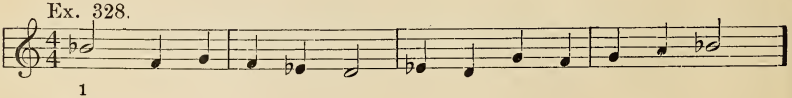

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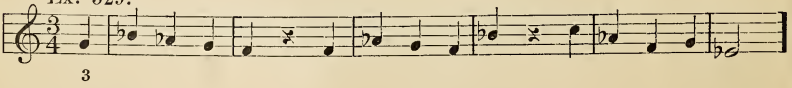

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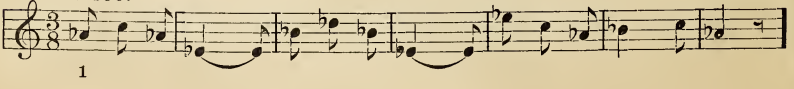

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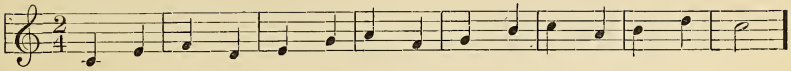

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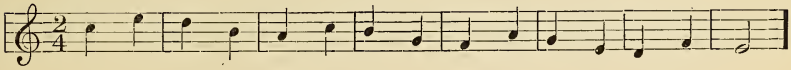

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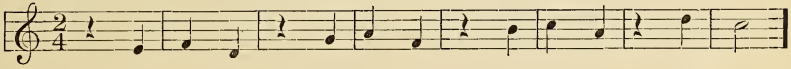

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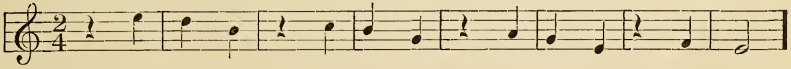

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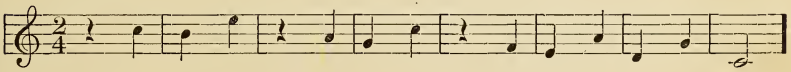

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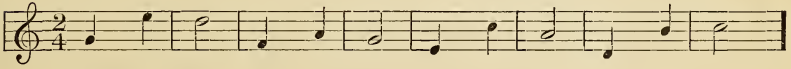

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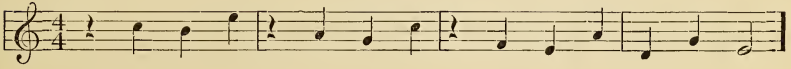

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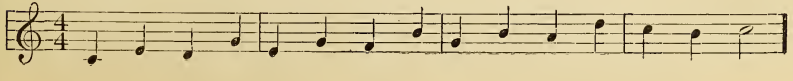
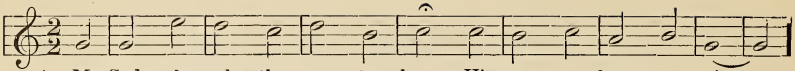
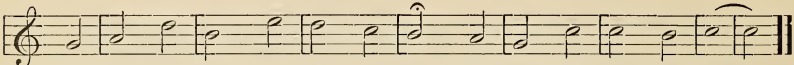




1. My God who makes the sun to know His prop - er hour to rise;
2. When from the cham - ber of the east His morn - ing race be - gins,
3. So, like the sun, would I ful - fil The bus - iness of the day;
4. Give me, O Lord, Thy ear - ly grace, Nor let my soul com - plain



And to give light to all be - low, Doth send him round the skies.
He nev - er tires, nor stops to rest, But round the world he shines.
Be - gin my work be - times, and still March on my heaven-ly way.
That the young morn - ing of my days Has all been spent in vain.

ISAAC WATTS.

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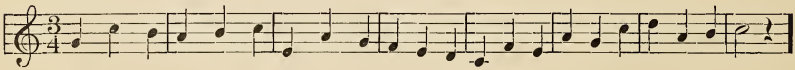

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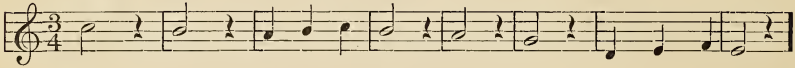

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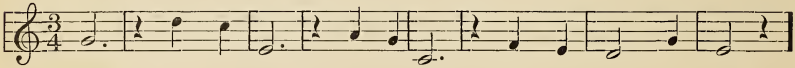

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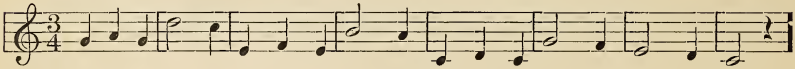

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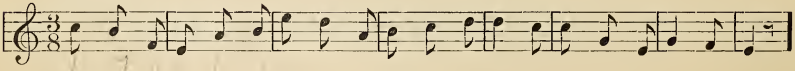

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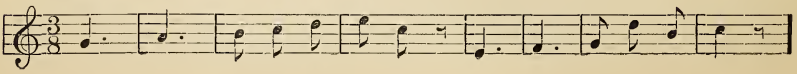

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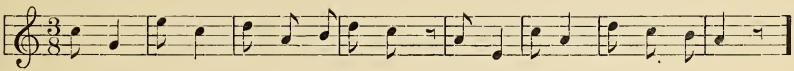

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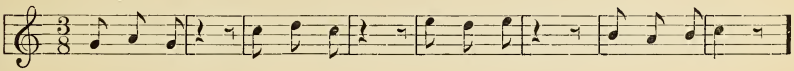
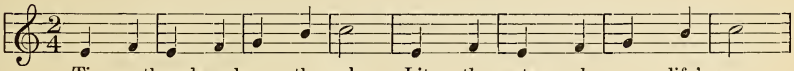
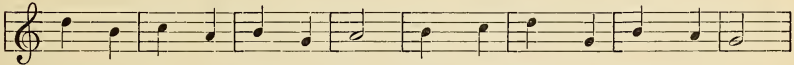
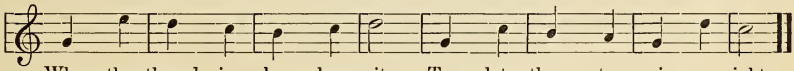




Ti - ny threads make up the web, Lit - tle acts make up life's span;



Would you ev - er hap - py be, Spin them right - ly while you can.



When the thread is bro - ken quite, Too late then to spin a - right.

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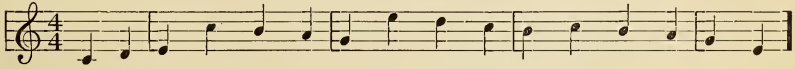

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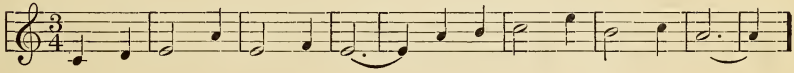

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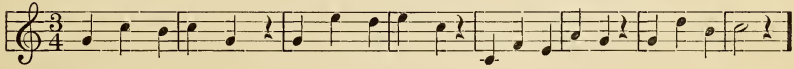

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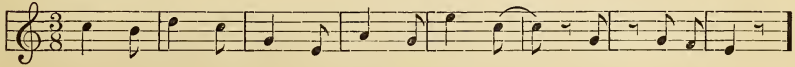
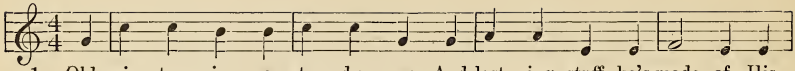
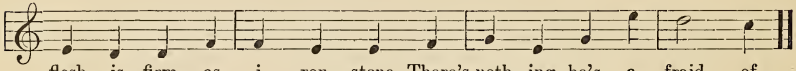




1. Old win - ter is a stur - dy one, And last - ing stuff he's made of, His
2. Of flowers that bloom or birds that sing, Full lit - tle cares or knows he, He
3. When frost is split - ting stone and wall, And trees come crash-ing af - ter, That



flesh is firm as i - ron - stone, There's noth - ing he's a - fraid of.
hates the fire and hates the Spring, And all that's warm and co - zy.
hates he not, he loves it all, Then bursts he out in laugh - ter.

DULCKEN.

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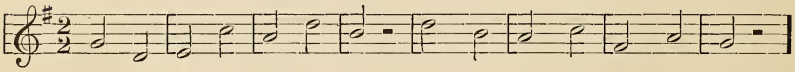

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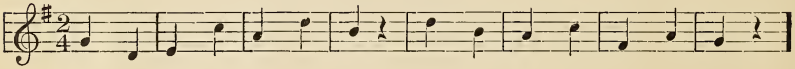

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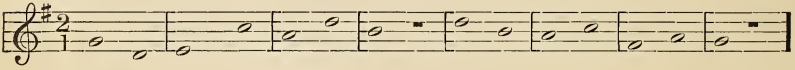

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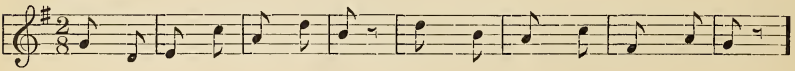

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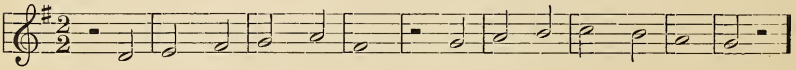

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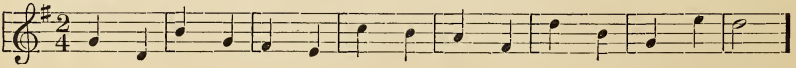
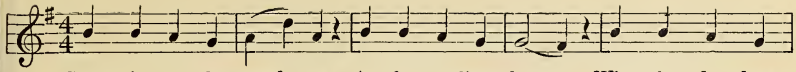
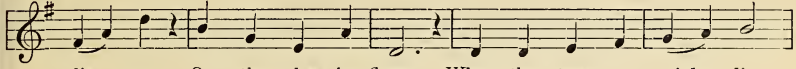
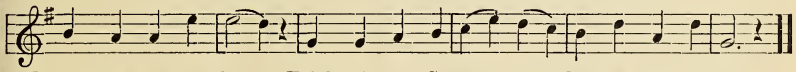




Come in - to the mead - ows At the cooling hour, When the dew-drops



glis - ten On the clos - ing flower; When the stars are twink - ling



Through the va-pors dim, Think of thy Cre-a - tor, Sing a song to Him.

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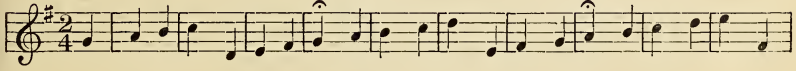

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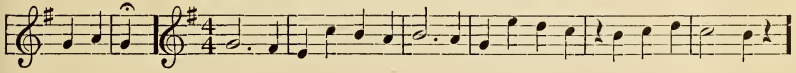
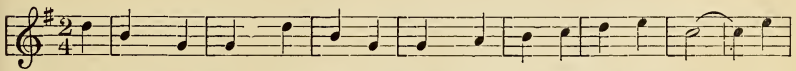
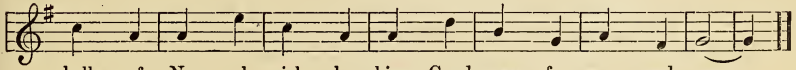




1. 'Tis Christ-mas time, the sweet Yule time, Light up the Christmas tree! The
2. All pleas - ant things are ours to - day, While hol - ly gleameth bright; We'll



bells of No - el rich - ly chime Good news for you and me.
feed the need - y on life's way, And make dark plac - es light.

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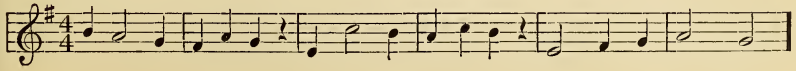

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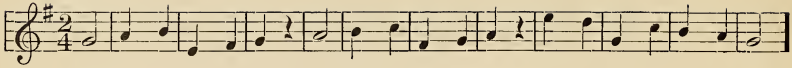

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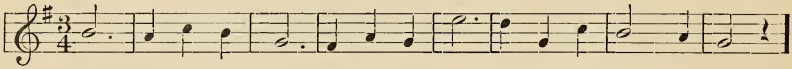

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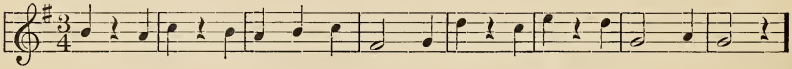

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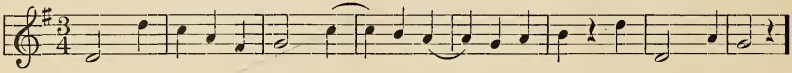
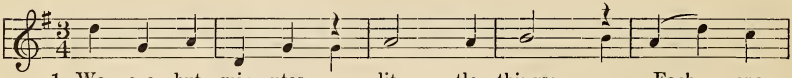
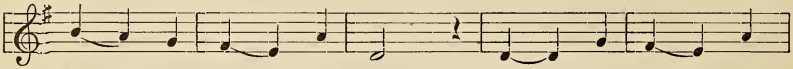
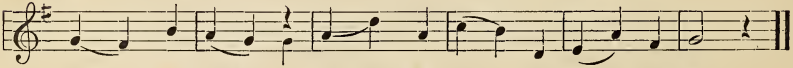




1. We are but min - utes, lit - tle things; Each one
2. We are but min - utes, yet each one bears, A lit - tle
3. We are but min - utes, when we bring A few of the
4. We are but min - utes, use us well, For how we are



furnished with six - ty wings, With which we fly on our
bur - den of joys and cares, Pa - tient - ly take the
drops from pleas - ure's spring, Taste their sweet - ness
used we must one day tell; Who us - es min - utes has



un - seen track, And not a min - ute ev - er comes back.
min - utes of pain, The worst of min - utes can - not re - main.
while we stay, It takes but a min - ute to fly a - way.
hours to use, Who los - es min-utes whole years must lose.

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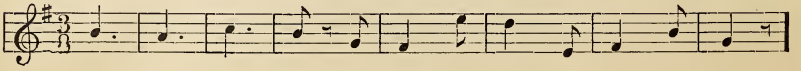

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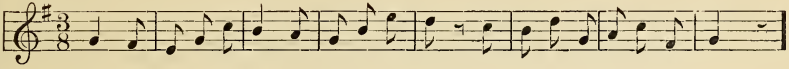

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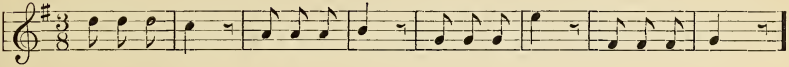

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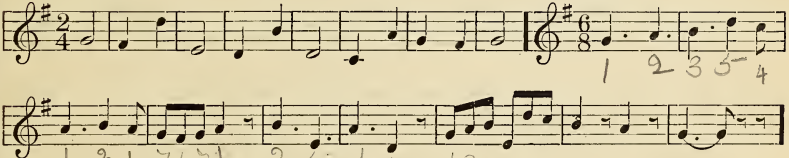

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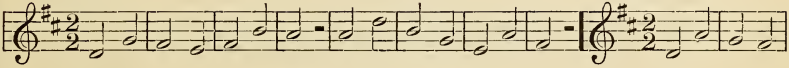

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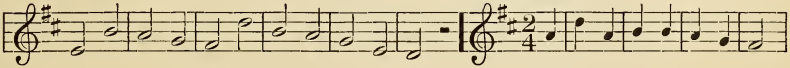

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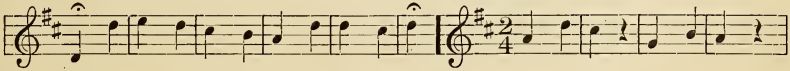

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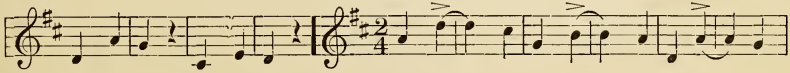

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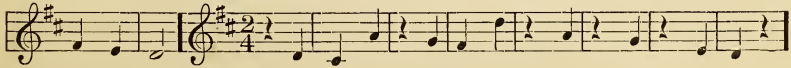

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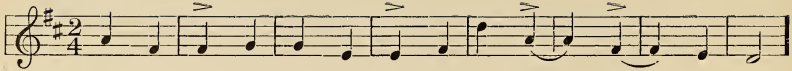
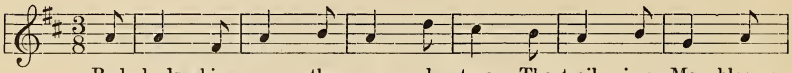
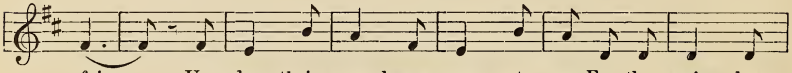
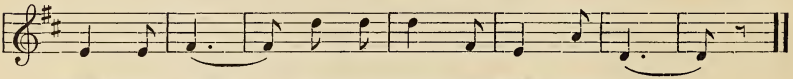




Red buds shine on the ma - ple tree, The trail - ing May blooms



fair;.... Un - der their green leaves peep at me, For the spring has



kissed them there,.... For the spring has kissed them there....

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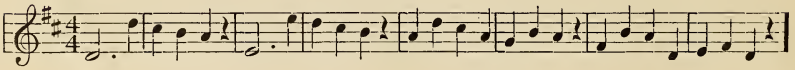

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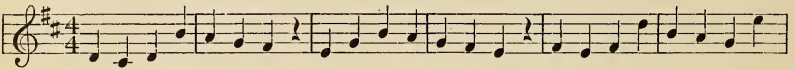

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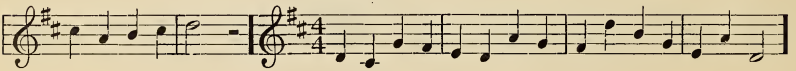

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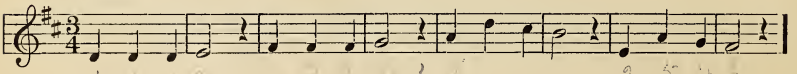

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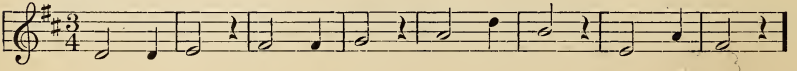

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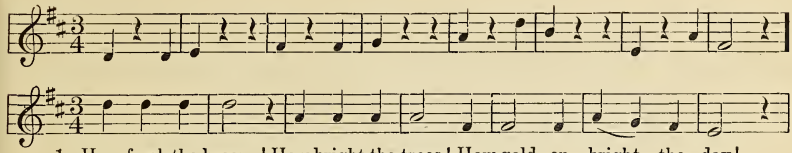
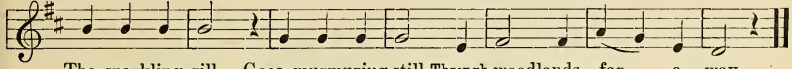


1. How fresh the breeze ! How bright the trees ! How gold - en bright the day !
2. How sweet the sound, When woods around Have heard the peal - ing horn !



The sparkling rill Goes, murmuring still, Through woodlands far a - way.
From bush and brake, Glad ech - oes wake, And hail the wel - come morn.

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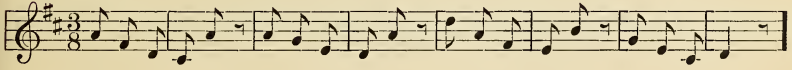

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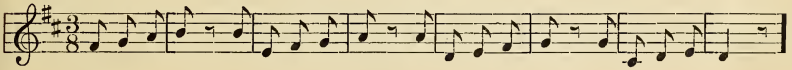

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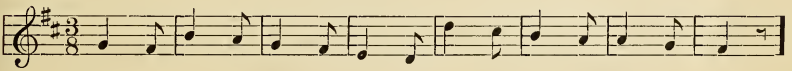

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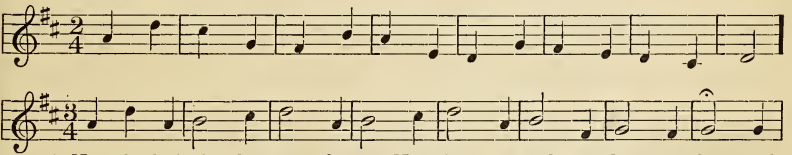
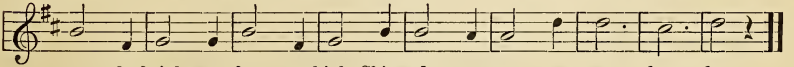


1. Now the dark night hath passed a-way, Now sings the lark, now dawns the day, And
2. Then let us thank and praise the Lord, Who to us shel - ter deigned af-ford, And



see, the bright sun, from on high, Shines down up - on us won - drous - ly.
with his ho - ly an - gels kept His help - less chil - dren while they slept.

DULCKEN.

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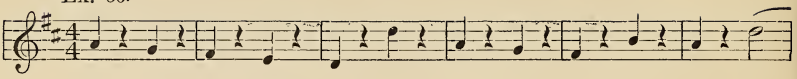

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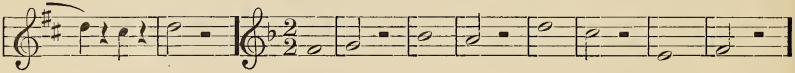

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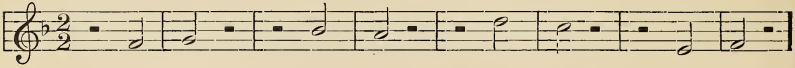

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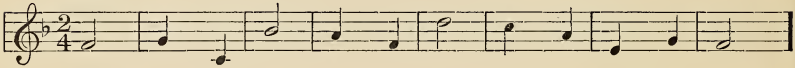

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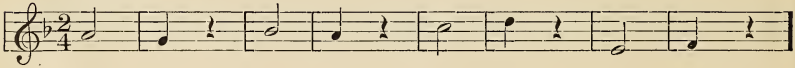

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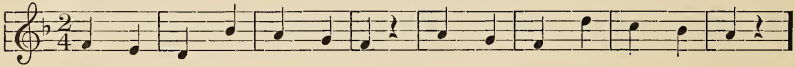

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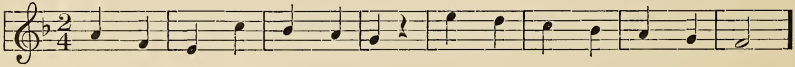
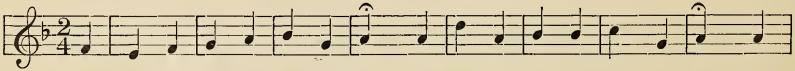
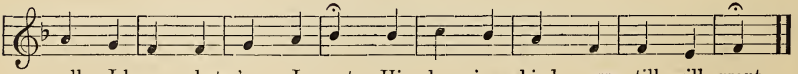




Thus far He's guid-ed me a-right, Pro-tect-ing me both day and night, And



well I know, what-e'er I want, His lov - ing kind - ness still will grant.

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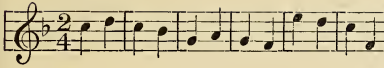

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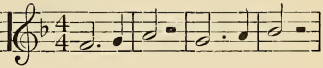

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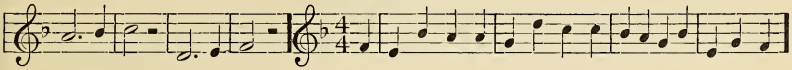

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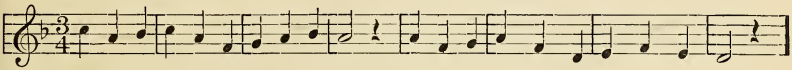

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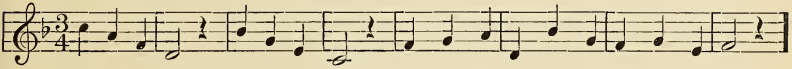

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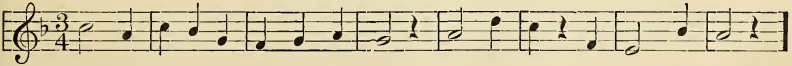

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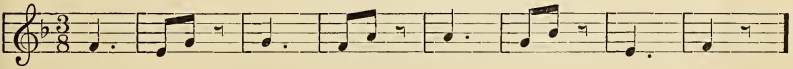

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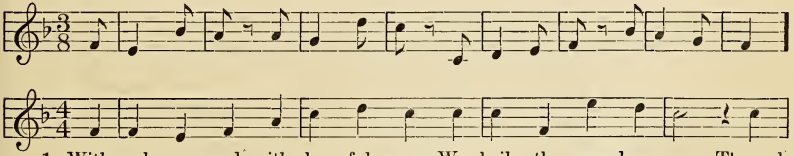
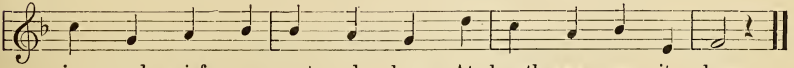


1. With wel-come and with cheer-ful song, We hail the new-born year; Through
2. We will thank God, who let us live To see this year be - gun, And



joy and grief ex - pect - ed long, At length we see it here.
pray that He His grace will give Each day un - til 'tis done.

GERMAN TR.

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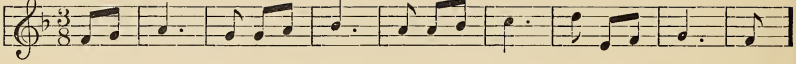

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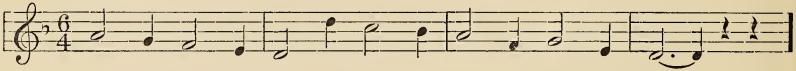

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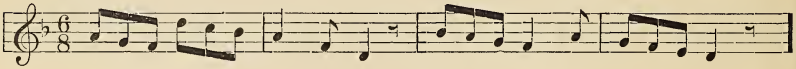

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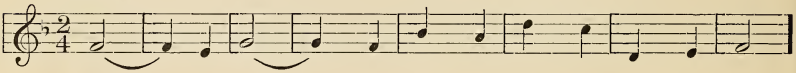

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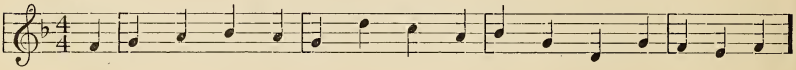

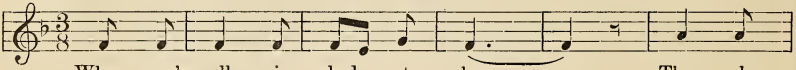

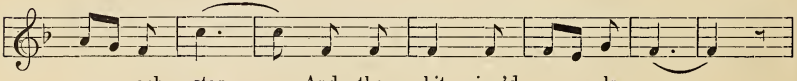

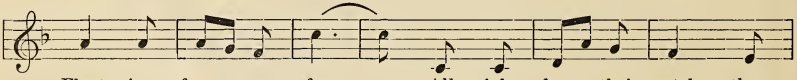

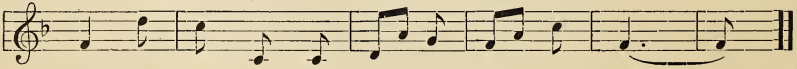

DULCKEN.

Ex. 76.

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Ex. 81.

Hush, I hear the sil - ver rain Beat - ing on the west - ern pane.

Sing - ing songs un - der the snow; Call - ing earth to wake be - low.

Ah, sweet A - pril comes, Ah, sweet A - pril comes, who

nev - er comes in vain— Who nev - er comes in vain.

BARRY CORNWALL.

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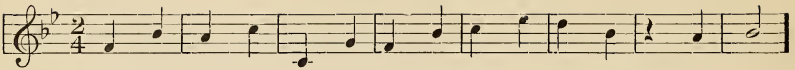

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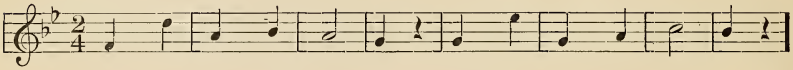

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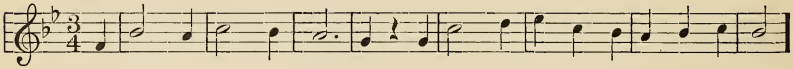

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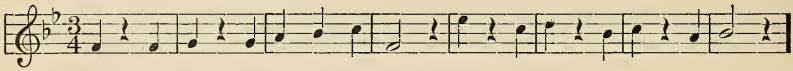

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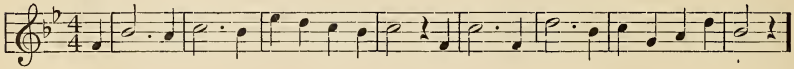

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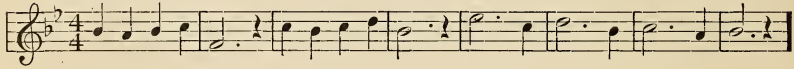

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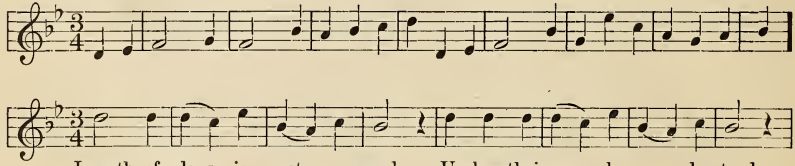

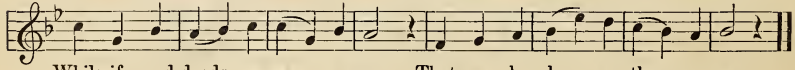

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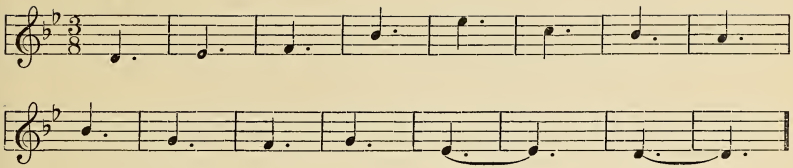

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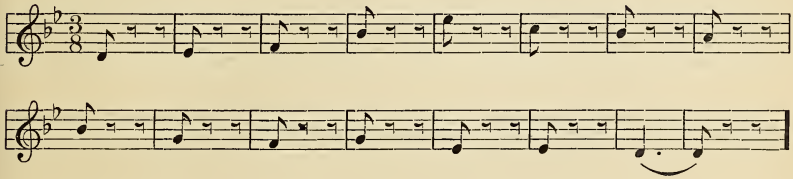

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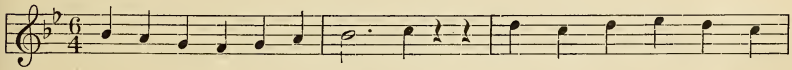

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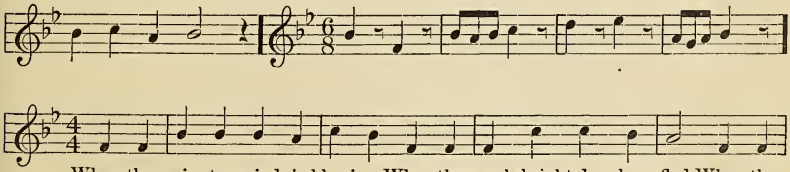
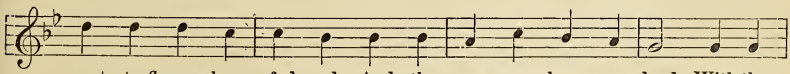
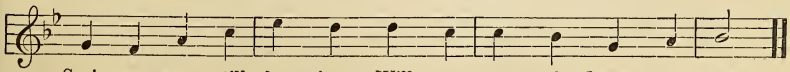


When the win- try wind is blowing, When the year's bright days have fled, When the



pret - ty flowers have fad - ed, And the gay green leaves are dead, With the



Spring we say, still hop - ing, Will re - turn the flowers that fled.

German, Tr.

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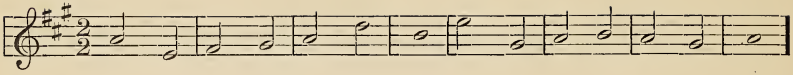

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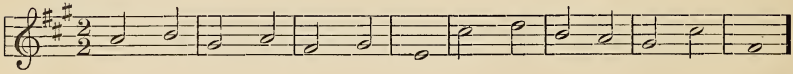

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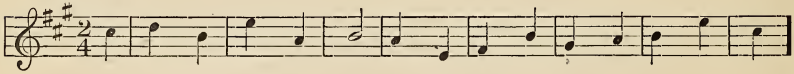

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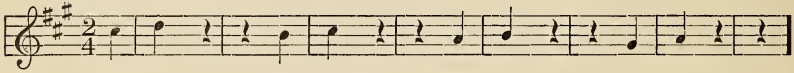

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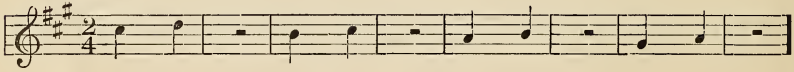

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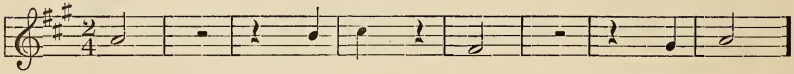
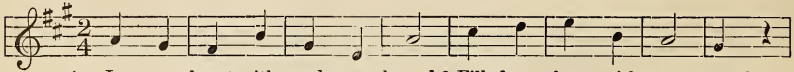
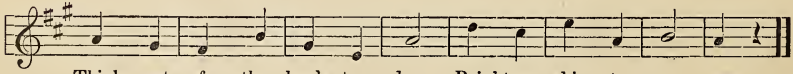




1. Is your heart with sad - ness bowed ? Filled your heart with sor - row ?
2. Life is full of light and shade, Fol-lowing close each oth - er,
3. If you find a gleam of joy, Let your glad - ness fan it;



Think not of the clouds to - day, Bright-er skies to - mor - row.
Lin - ger not where dark - ness lies, Can't you help an - oth - er ?
O - ver sor - row's deep - est wound Smile, till rain-bows span it.

MRS. H. E. ROGERS.

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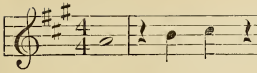

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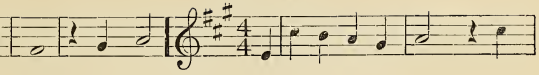

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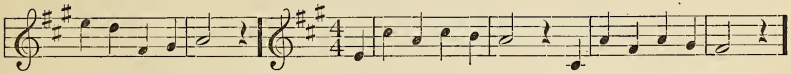

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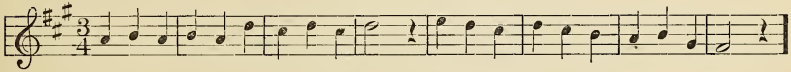

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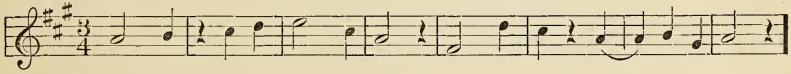

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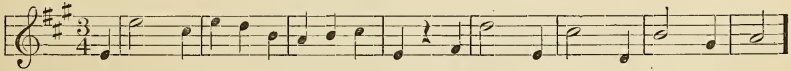
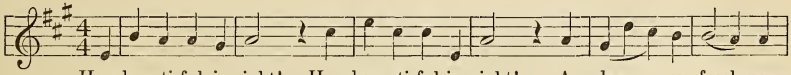
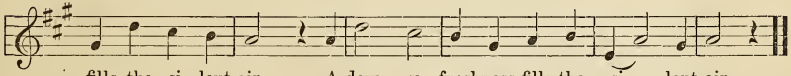




How beauti-ful is night! How beau-ti-ful is night! A dew - y fresh-ness



fills the si - lent air, A dew - y freshness fills the si - lent air.

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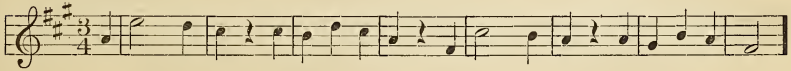

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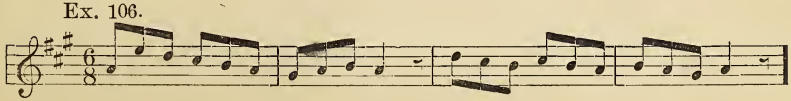

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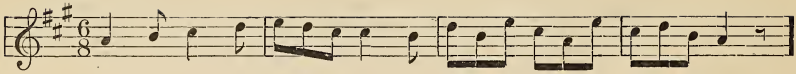

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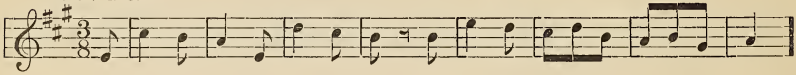

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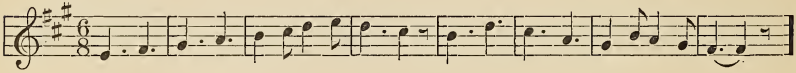

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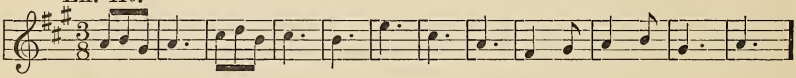
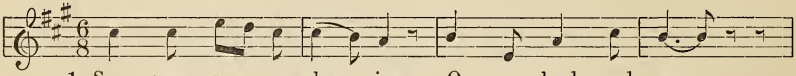
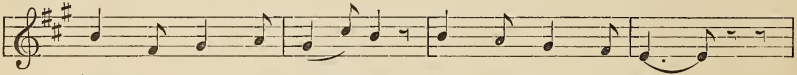
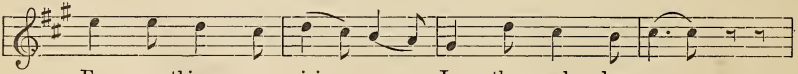




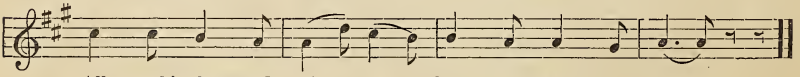
1. Sum - mer suns are glow - ing O - ver land and sea,
2. God's free mer - cy stream - eth O - ver all the world,



Hap - py light is flow - ing, Boun - ti - ful and free.
And His ban - ner gleam - eth, Ev - ery-where un - furled.



Ev - ery-thing re - joic - es In the mel - low rays,
Broad and deep and glo - ri - ous As the heaven a - bove,



All earth's thous-and voic - es Swell the psalm of praise.
Shines in might vic - to - ri - ous His e - ter - nal Love.

W. W. How.

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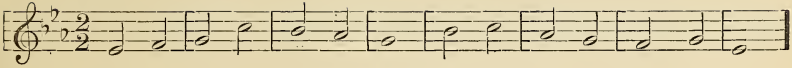

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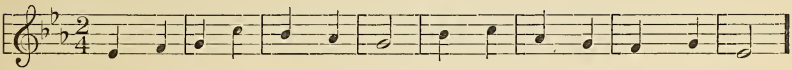

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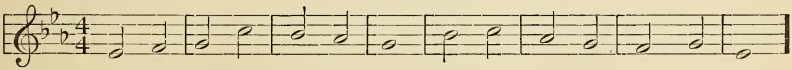

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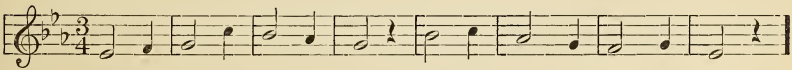

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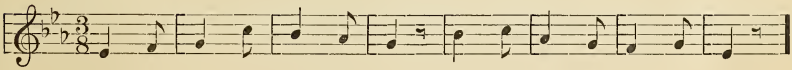

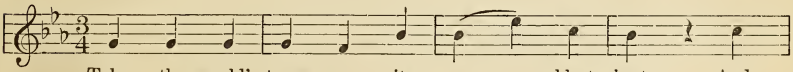

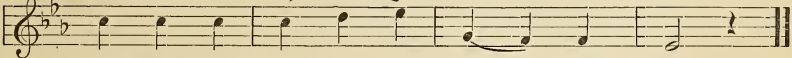

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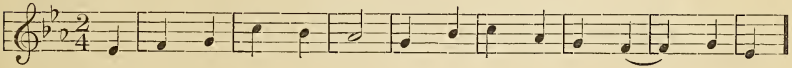

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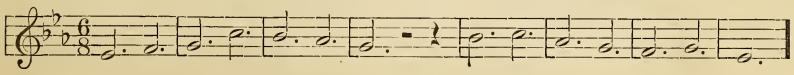

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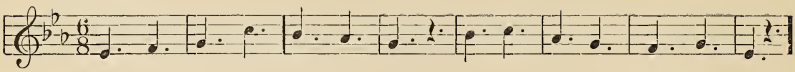

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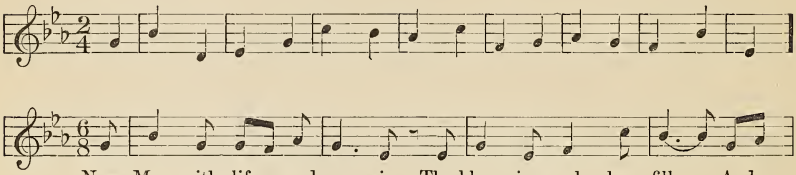

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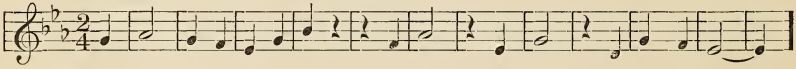

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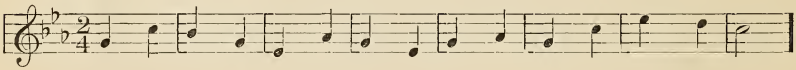

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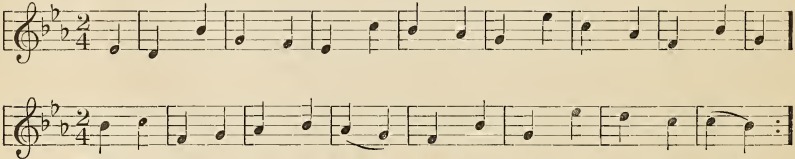

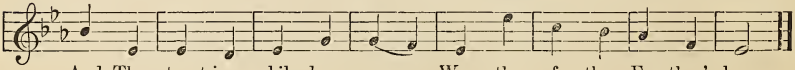

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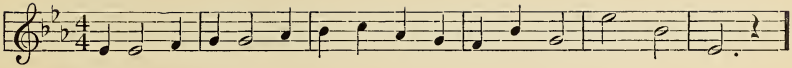

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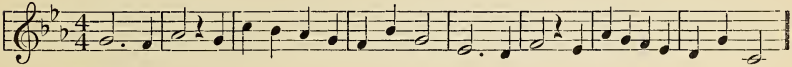

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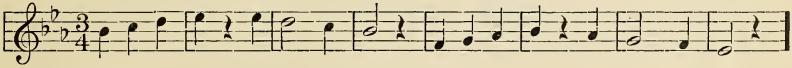

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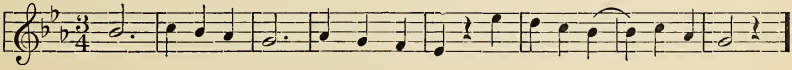
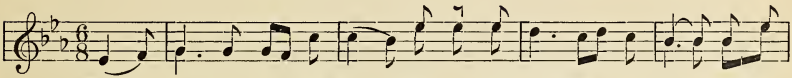
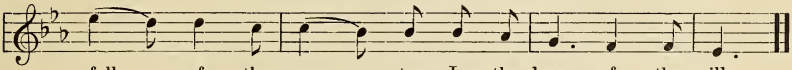




1. There's pleas - ure in the sun - shine That sleeps on the hill; In the
2. In the leaves that are stir - ring, By the breath of the wind: But



fall of the wa - ter; In the leap of the rill.
no - where such pleas - ure As in words that are kind.

D. C. Colesworthy.

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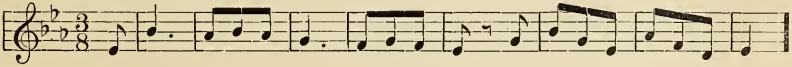

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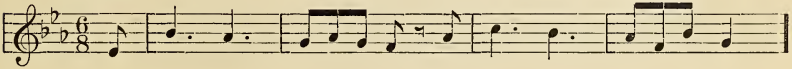

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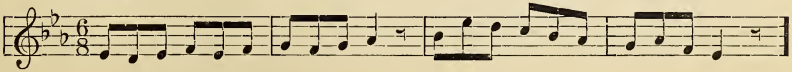

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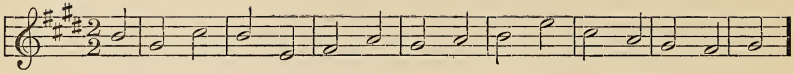

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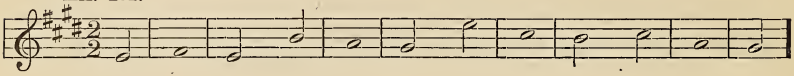

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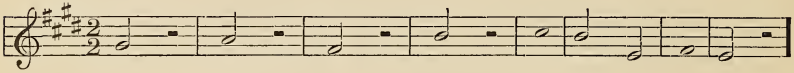

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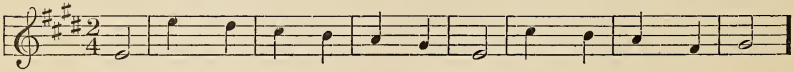

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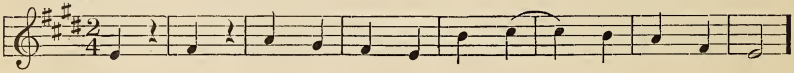
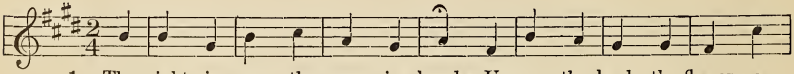
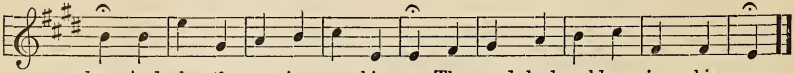




1. The night is gone, the morn - ing breaks, Up- on the bank the flower a -
2. Each blade of grass has beads of dew; The sky is cloud-less, soft and



wakes; And when the sun is on his way, The woods look gold-en in his ray.
blue; The lit - tle birds on ev - ery side Are sing - ing of the sweet spring-tide.

ANON.

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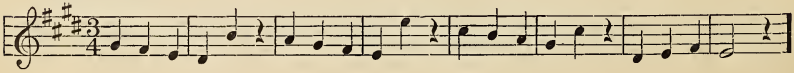

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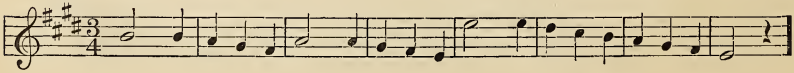

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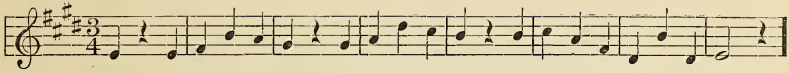
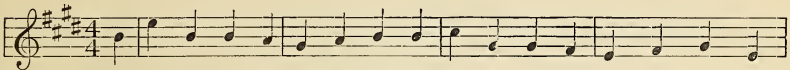
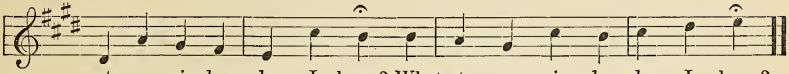




1. Good morning to you, sunshine dear, How ver - y ear - ly you ap - pear! What
2. The birds are up and on the wing, And to their kind Cre - a - tor bring The
3. And wouldest thou as hap - py be? Then wake with them, and thankful - ly Give



at my win-dow do I hear? What at my win - dow do I hear?
morning's tune-ful of - fer - ing— The morn-ing's tune - ful of - fer - ing.
praise to Him who keep - eth thee— Give praise to Him who keep - eth thee.

ECKELMANN, TR. BY W. W. CALDWELL.

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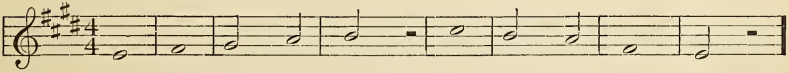

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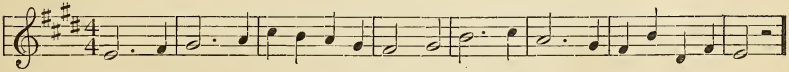

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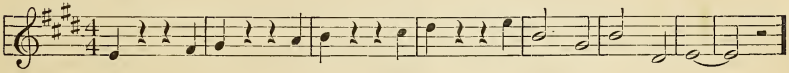

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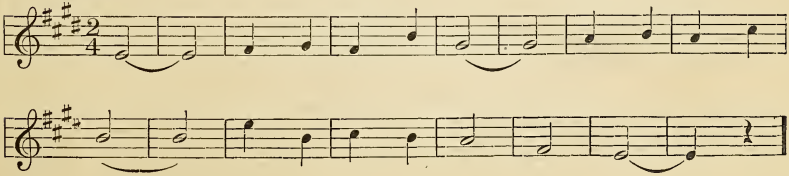
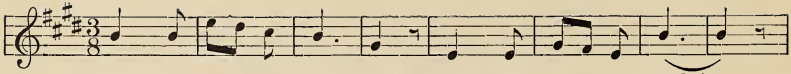
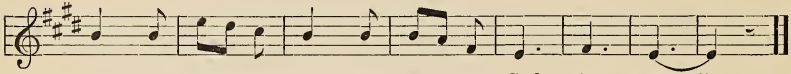




1. Morn a - mid the moun - tains! Love - ly sol - i - tude!
2. Now the glad sun, break - ing, Pours a gold - en flood:
3. Hymns of praise are ring - ing Through the leaf - y wood;



Gush - ing streams and foun - tains Mur-mur, "God is good!"
Deep - est vales, a - wak - ing, Ech - o, "God is good!"
Song - sters, sweet - ly sing - ing, War - ble, "God is good!"

GERMAN, TR.

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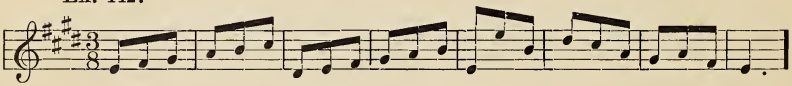

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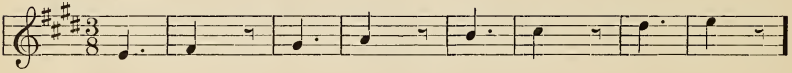

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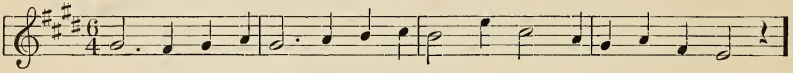

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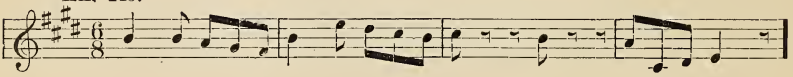

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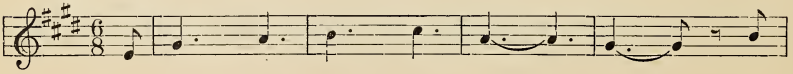

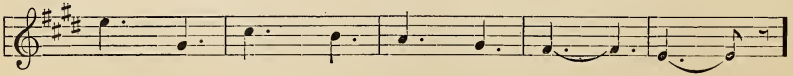

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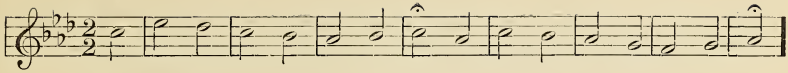

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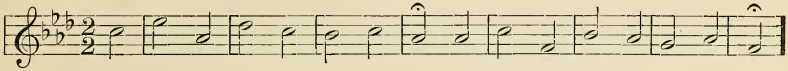

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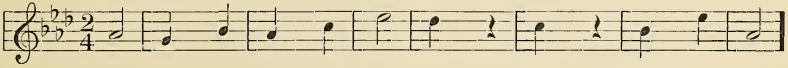

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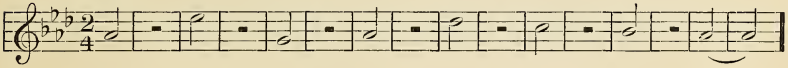

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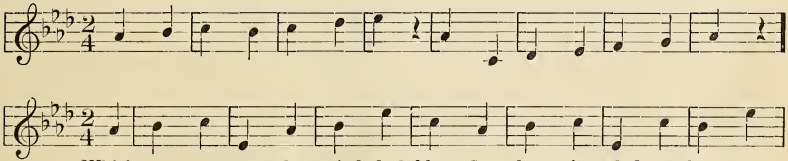
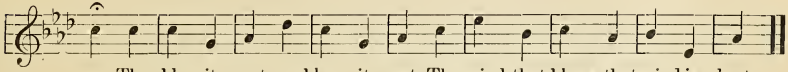


Which - ev - er way the wind doth blow, Some heart is glad to have it



so; Then blow it east, or blow it west, The wind that blows, that wind is best.

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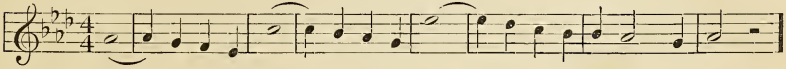

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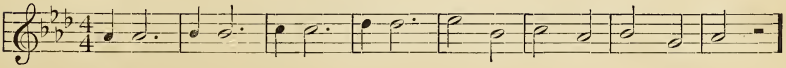

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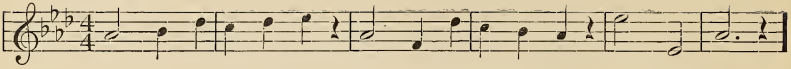

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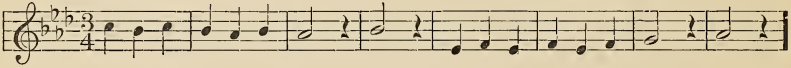

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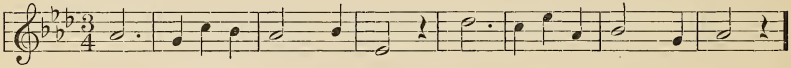

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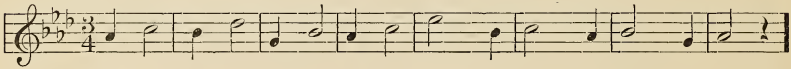

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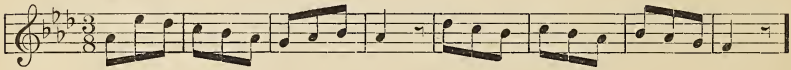
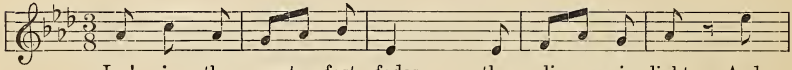
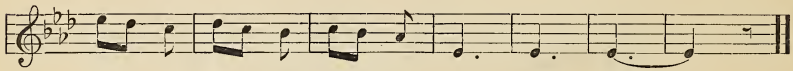




Lo! in the west fast fades the lin - gering light, And



day's last ves - tige takes its si - lent flight....

H. K. White.

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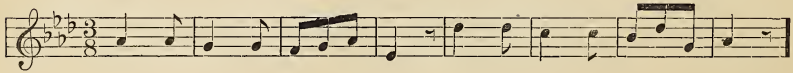

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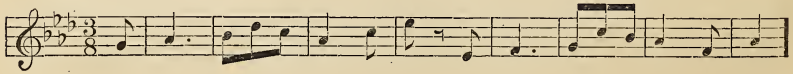

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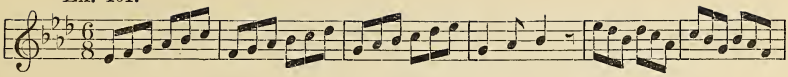

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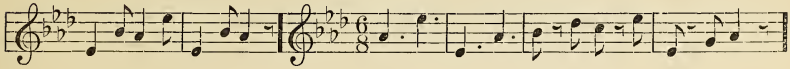

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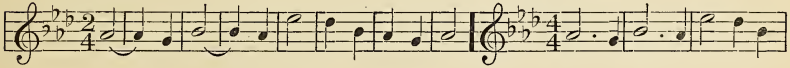

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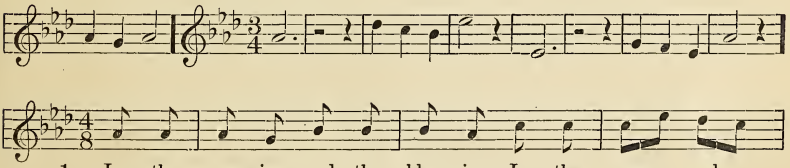
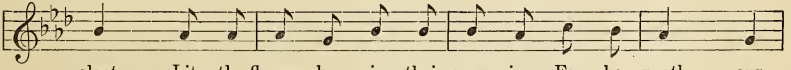
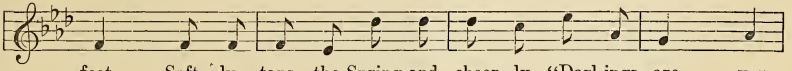


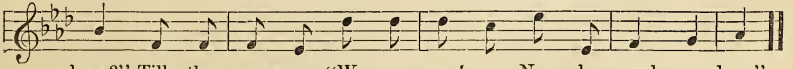
1. In the snow - ing aud the blow - ing, In the cru - el
2. "Where is Win - ter, with his snow - ing? Tell us Spring." they



sleet, Lit - tle flowers be - gin their grow - ing Far be - neath our
say, Then she an-swers; "He is go - ing, Go - ing on his



feet, Soft - ly taps the Spring and cheer - ly, "Darl-ings, are you
way, Poor old Win - ter does not love you, But his time is



here?" Till they an - swer; "We are read - y, Near - ly read - y dear"
past; Soon my birds shall sing a - bove you, Set you free at last."

ANON.

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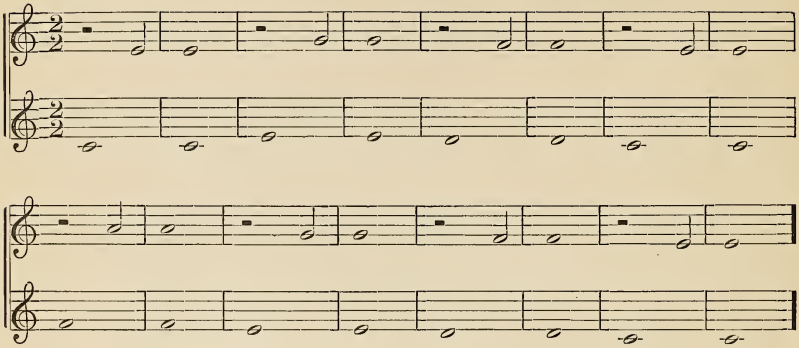

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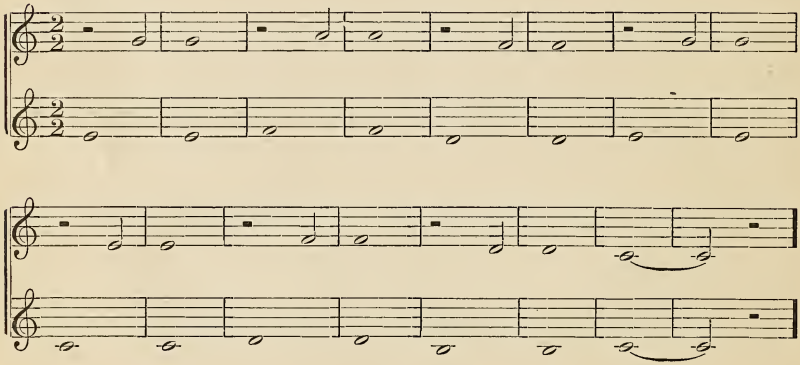

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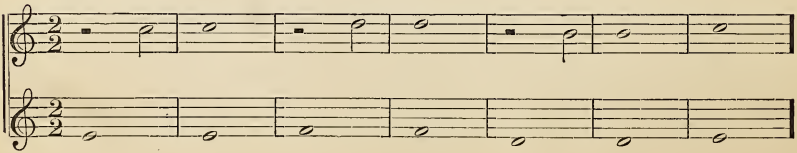

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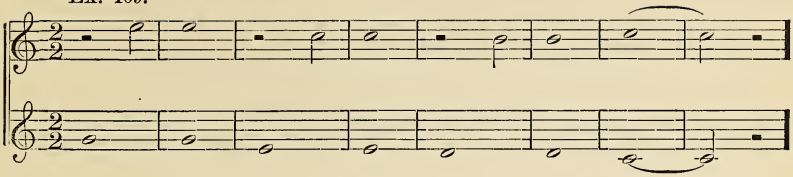

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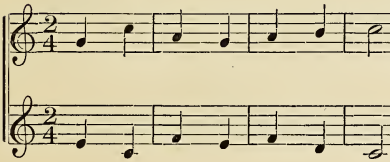

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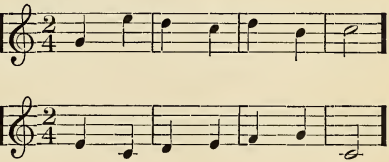

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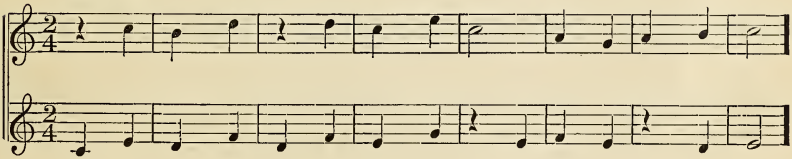

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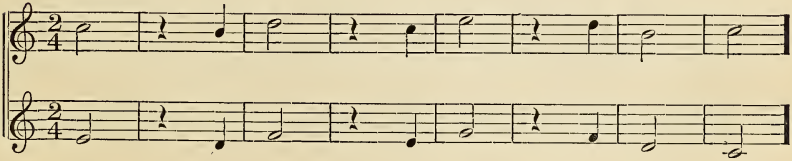

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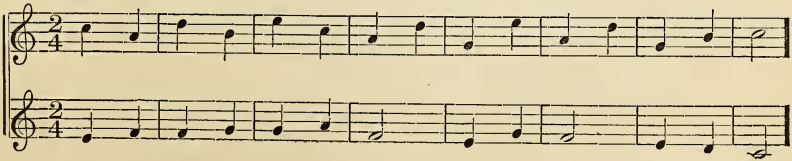

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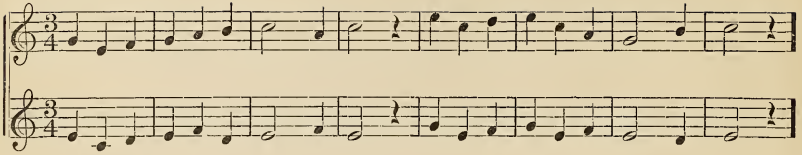

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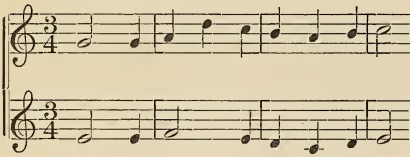

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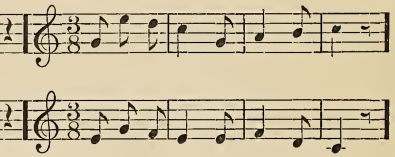

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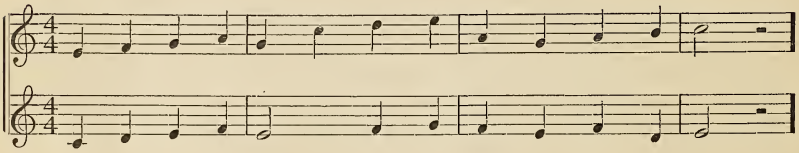
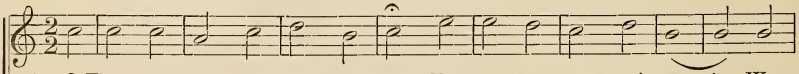
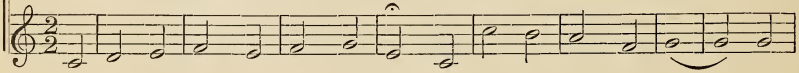
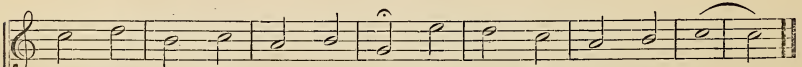




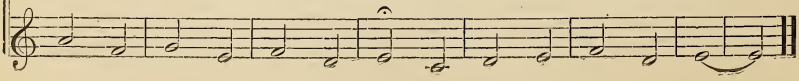
1. O Thou, who kind - ly dost pro - vide For ev - ery crea-ture's want! We
2. And if it please Thee heaven-ly Guide, May nev - er worse be sent; But





bless Thee, God of na - ture wide, For all Thy good - ness lent.
wheth - er grant - ed or de - nied, Lord, bless us with con - tent.

ROBERT BURNS.



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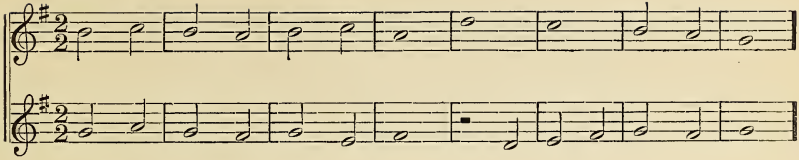

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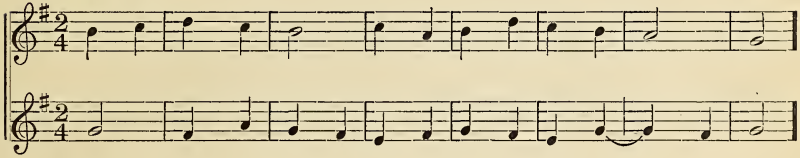

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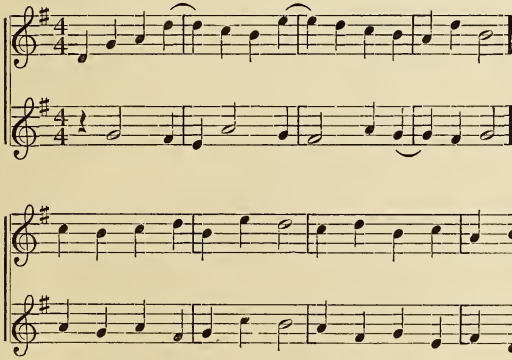

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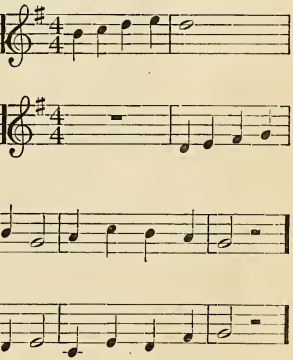

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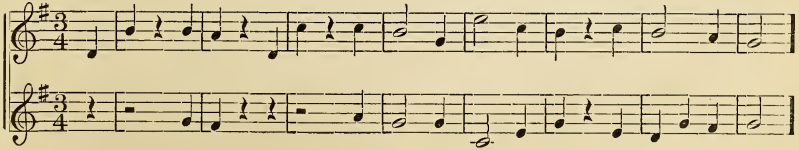

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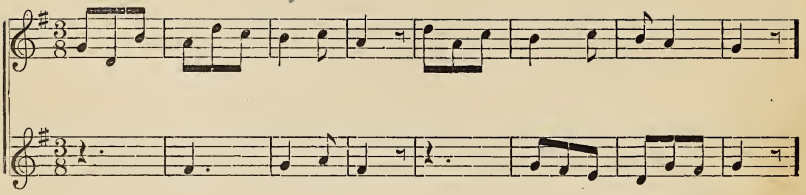
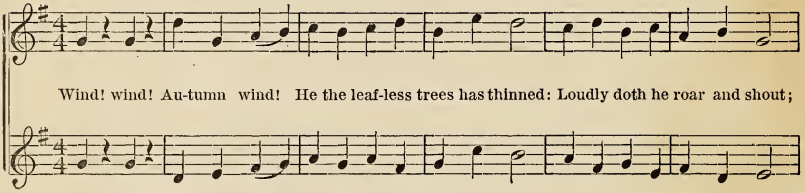
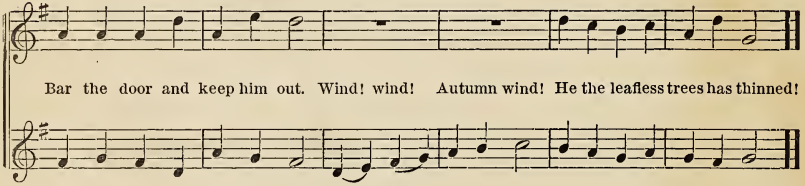



Wind! wind! Au-tumn wind! He the leaf-less trees has thinned: Loudly doth he roar and shout;


Bar the door and keep him out. Wind! wind! Autumn wind! He the leafless trees has thinned!

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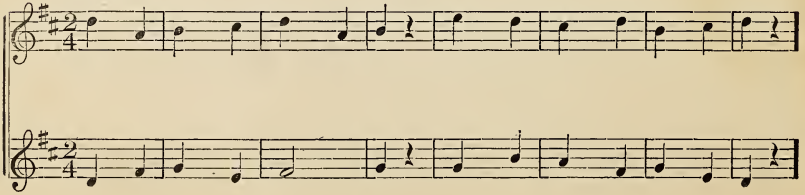

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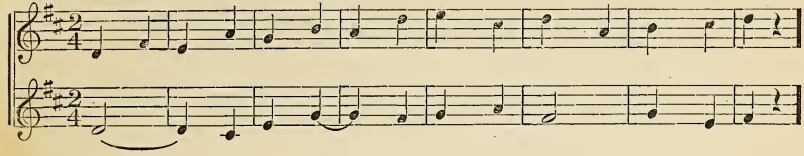

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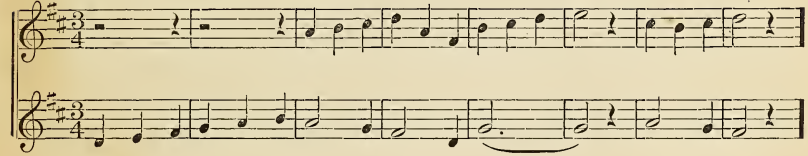

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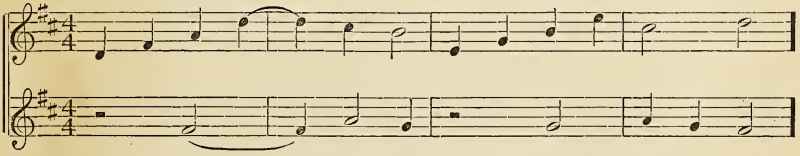

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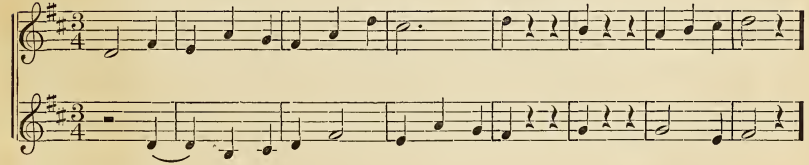

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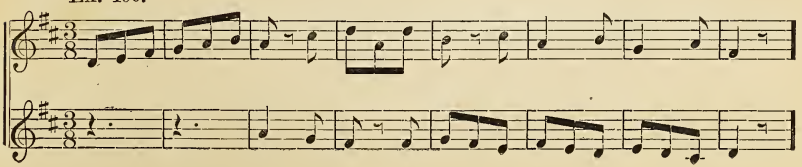

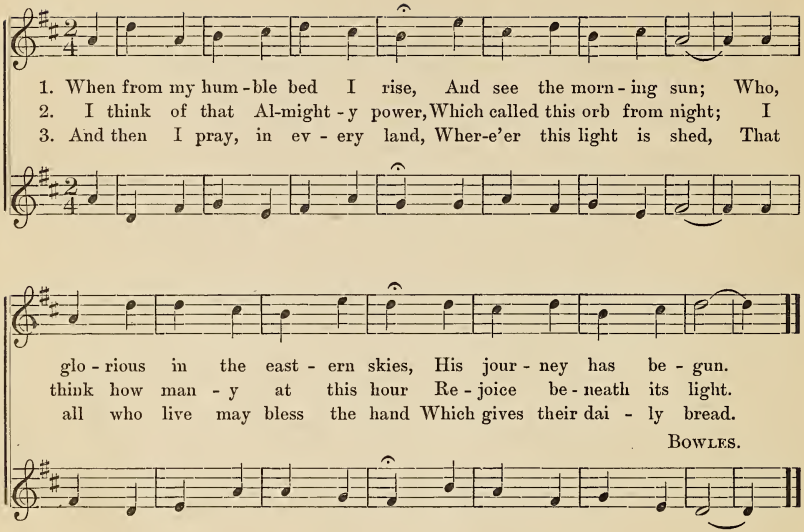
1. When from my hum - ble bed I rise, And see the morn - ing sun; Who,
2. I think of that Al-might - y power, Which called this orb from night; I
3. And then I pray, in ev - ery land, Wher-e'er this light is shed, That
glo - rious in the east - ern skies, His jour - ney has be - gun.
think how man - y at this hour Re - joice be - neath its light.
all who live may bless the hand Which gives their dai - ly bread.
Bowles.

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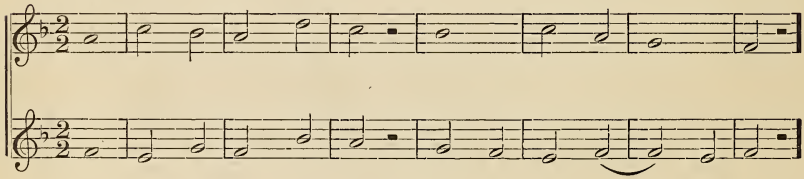

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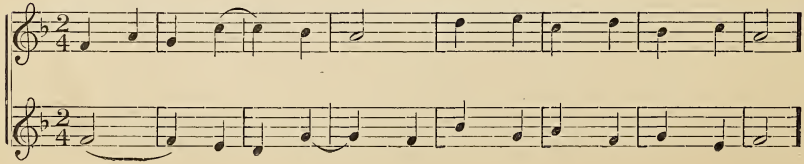

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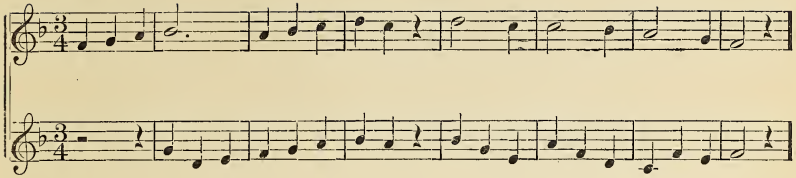

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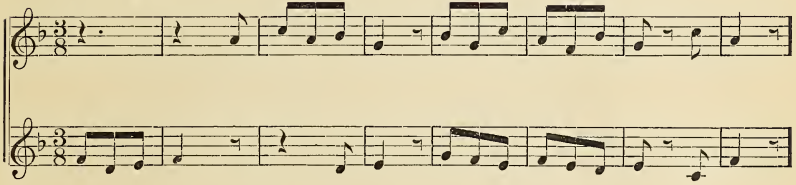

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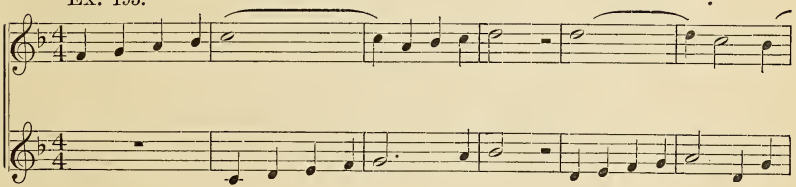

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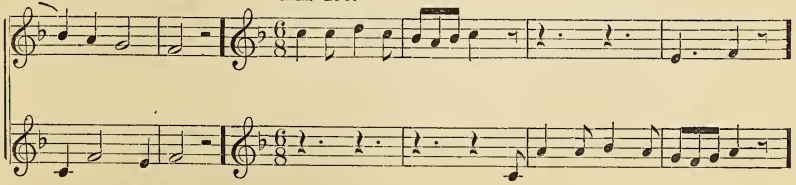

1. Hark! the peal - ing, soft - ly steal - ing Eve - ning bell,
2. Day is sleep - ing, flowers are weep - ing Tears of dew;

Sweet - ly ech - oed down the dell, down the dell....
Stars are peep - ing, ev - er true, ev - er true....

Wel - come, wel - come is thy mu - sic, Sil - very bell,
Hap - py hour, may thy pow - er Fill.... my breast,

Sweet - ly tell - ing, sweet - ly tell - ing day's fare - well....
Each wild pas - sion, each wild pas - sion soothe to rest....

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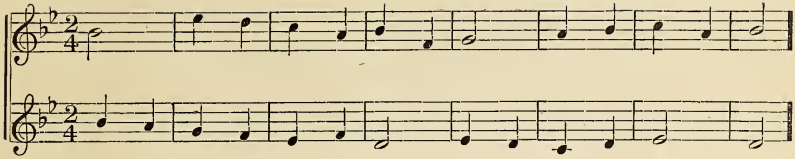

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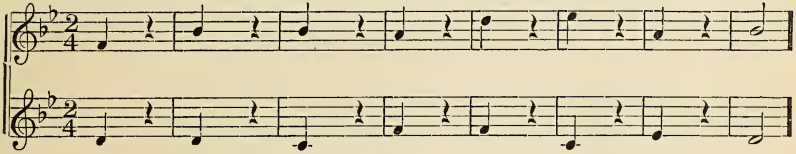

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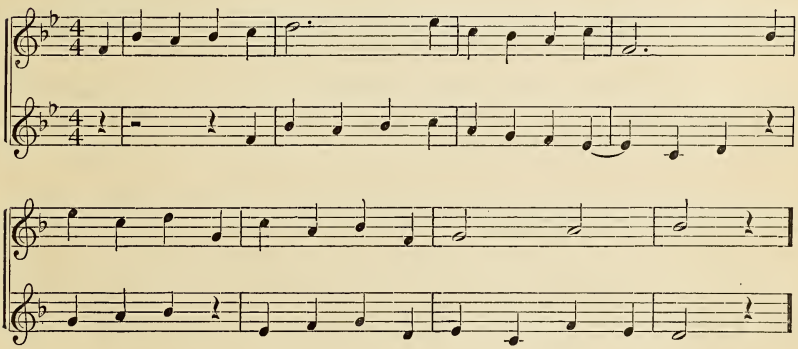

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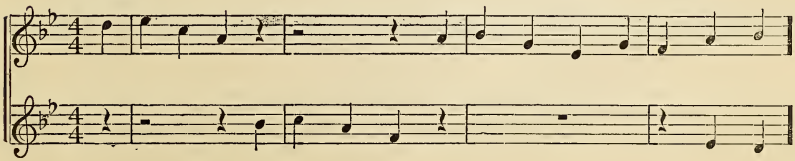

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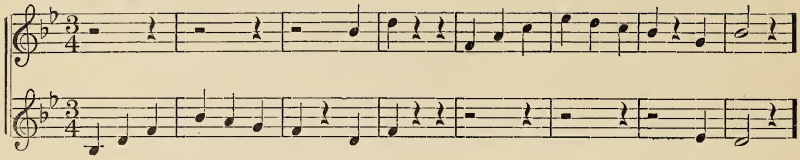

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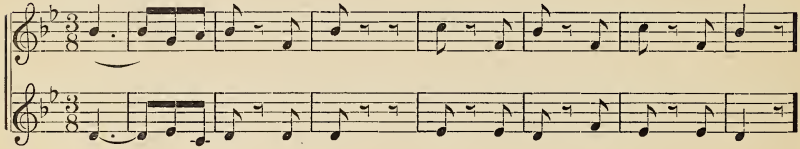

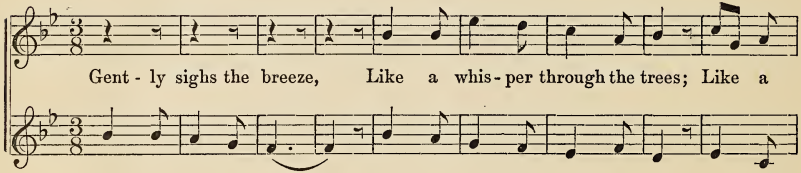

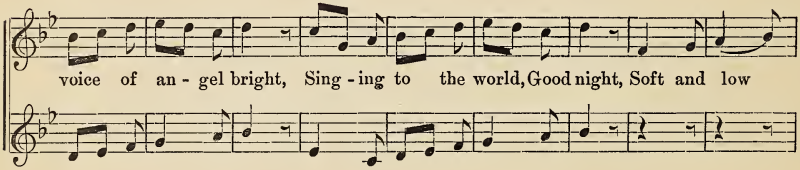

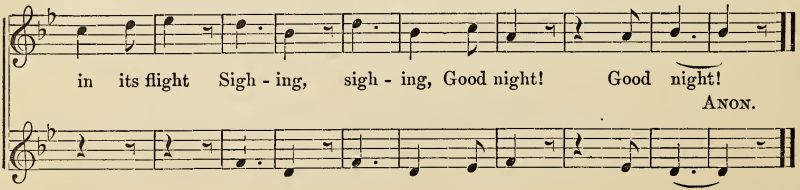

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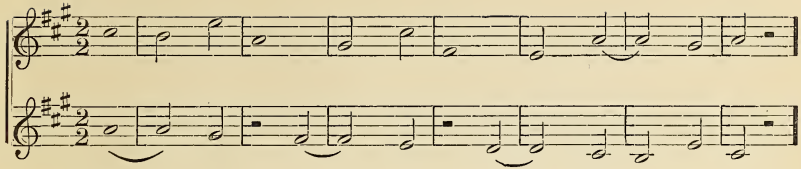

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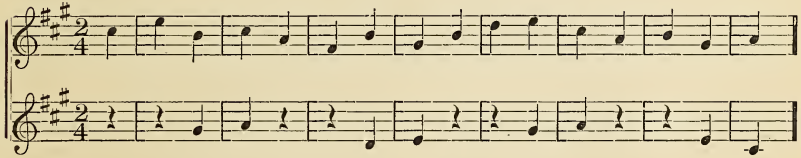

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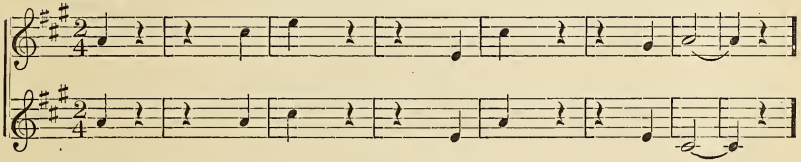

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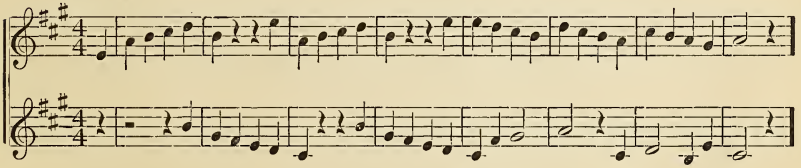

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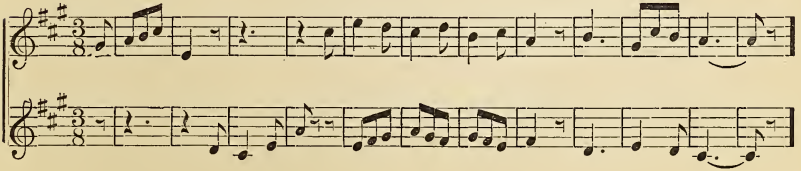

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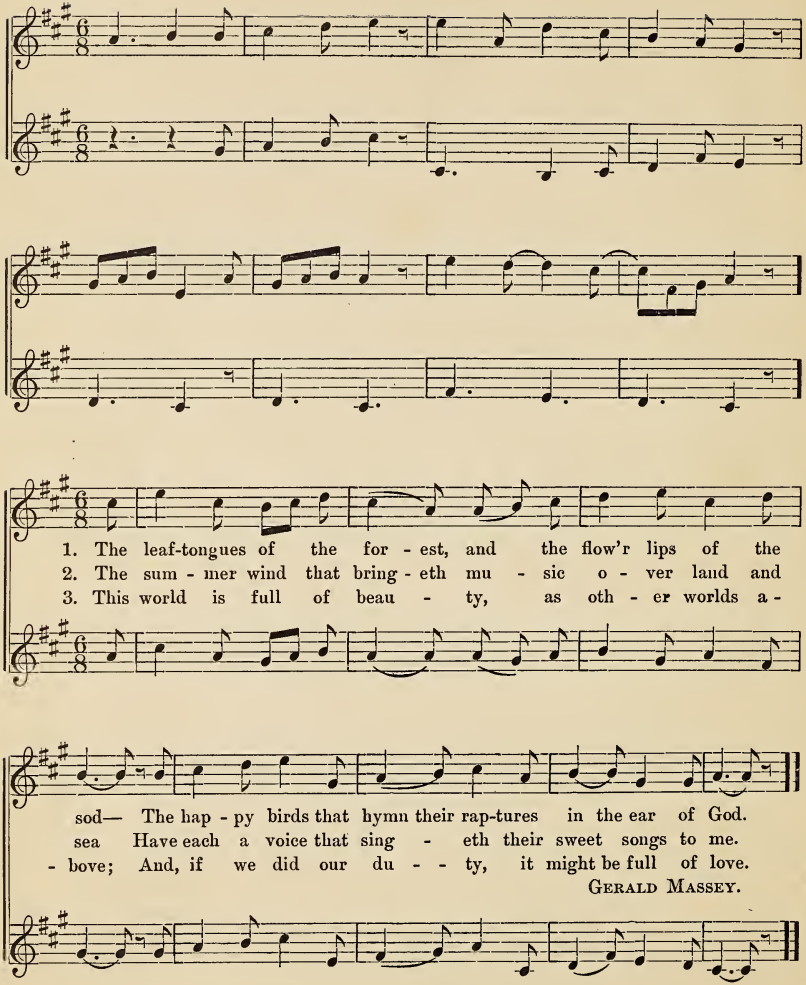
1. The leaf-tongues of the for - est, and the flow'r lips of the
2. The sum - mer wind that bring - eth mu - sic o - ver land and
3. This world is full of beau - ty, as oth - er worlds a -
sod— The hap - py birds that hymn their rap-tures in the ear of God.
sea Have each a voice that sing - eth their sweet songs to me.
- bove; And, if we did our du - - ty, it might be full of love.
GERALD MASSEY.

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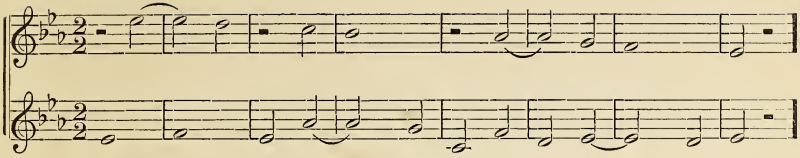

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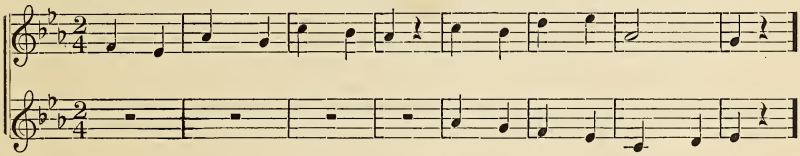

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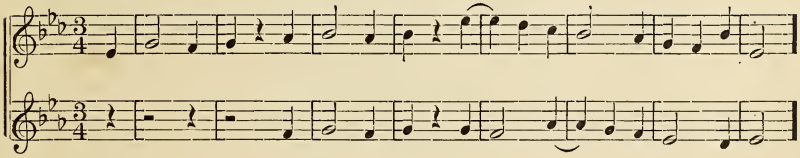

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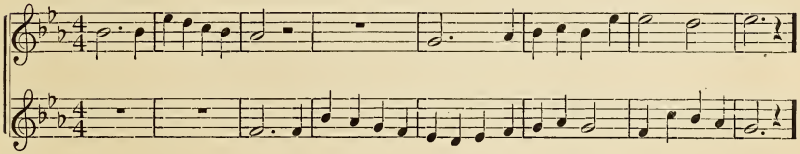

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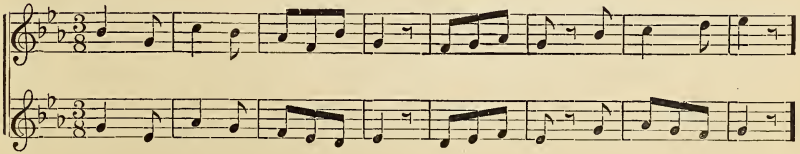

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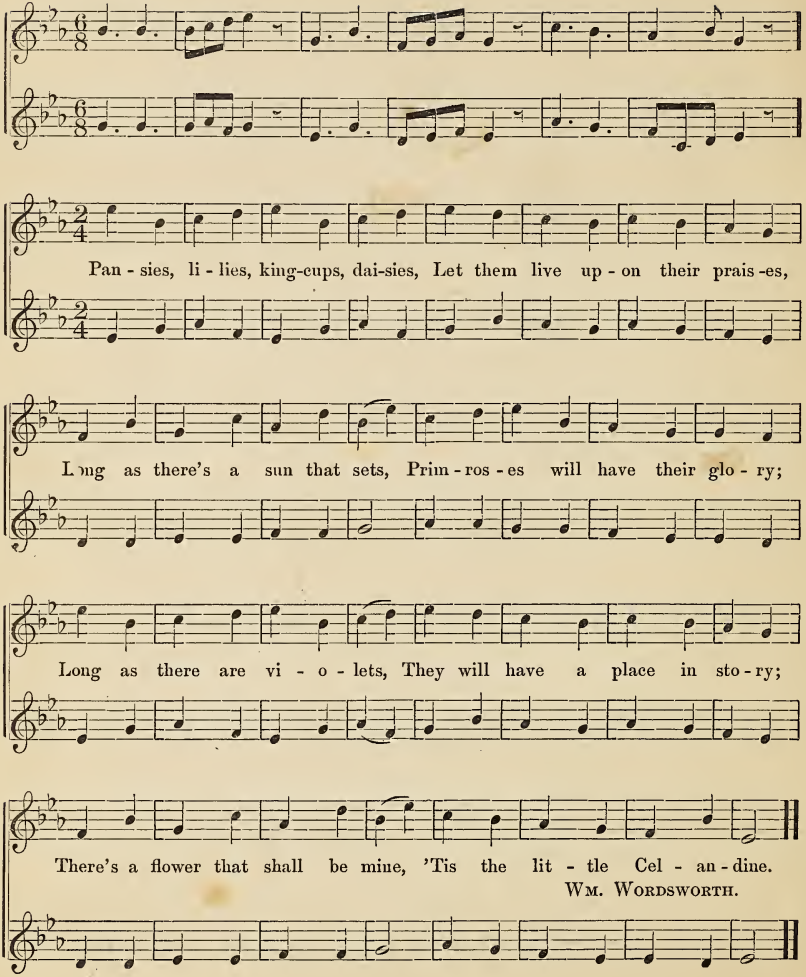
Pan - sies, li - lies, king-cups, dai-sies, Let them live up - on their prais -es,
Long as there's a sun that sets, Prim - ros - es will have their glo - ry;
Long as there are vi - o - lets, They will have a place in sto - ry;
There's a flower that shall be mine, 'Tis the lit - tle Cel - an - dine.
Wm. Wordsworth.

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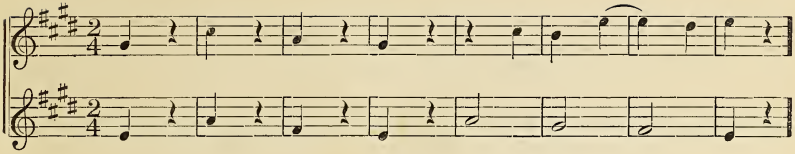

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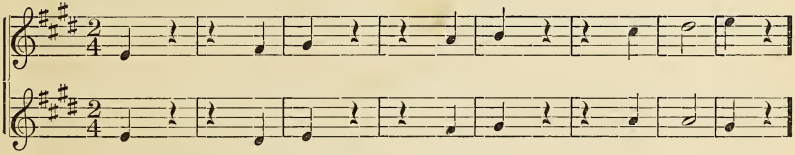

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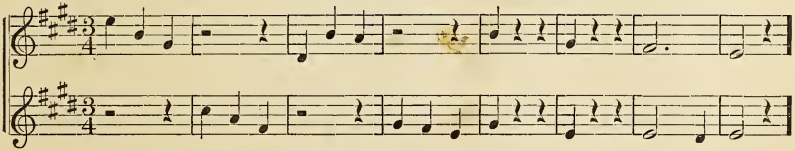

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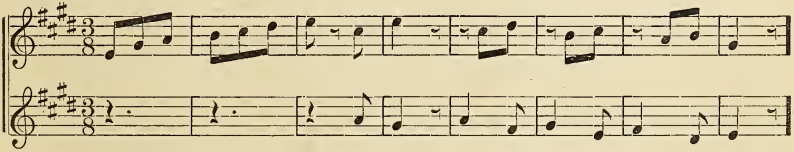

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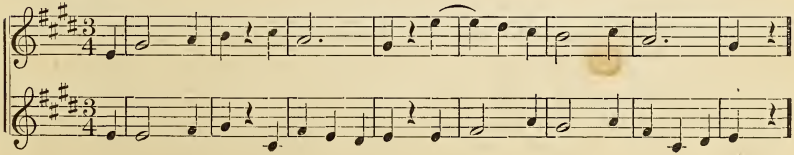

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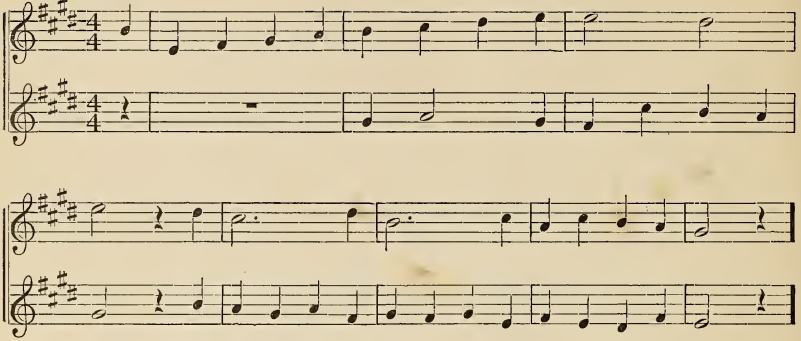

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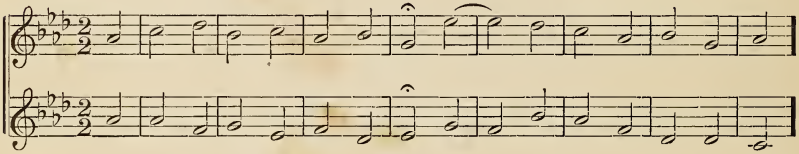

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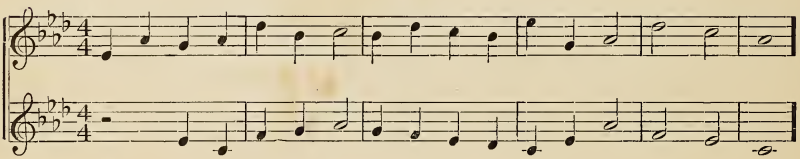

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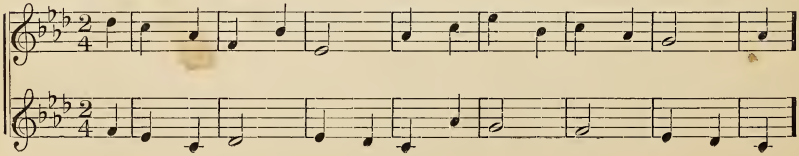

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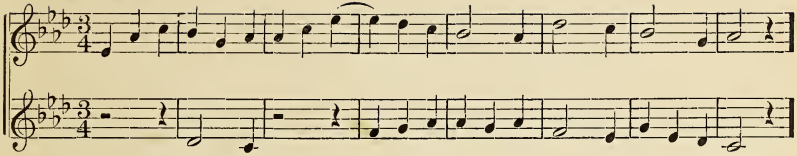

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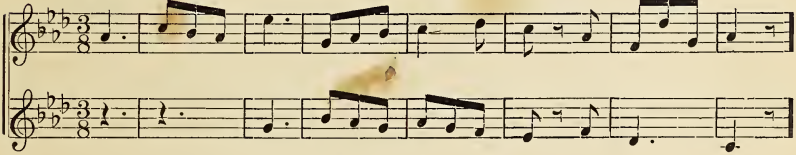

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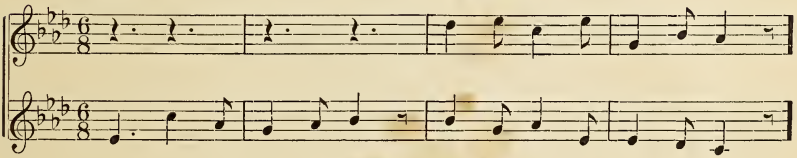

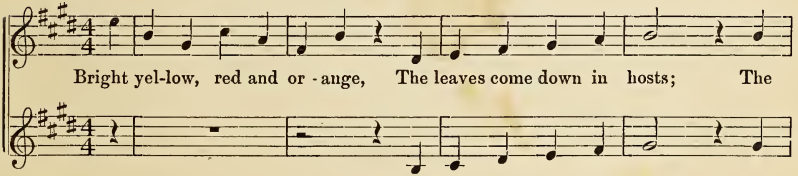

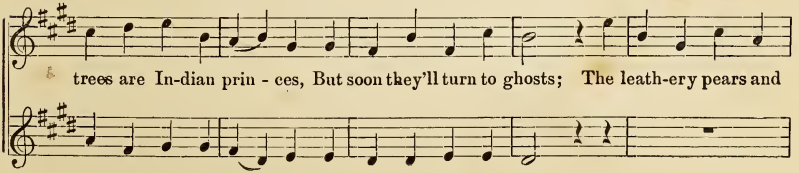

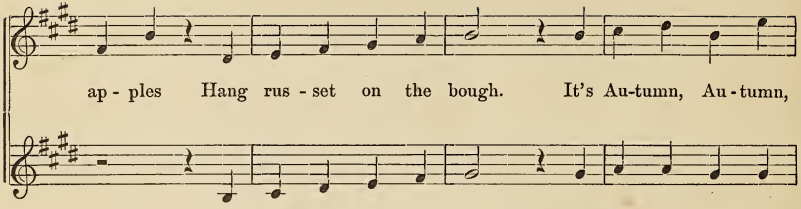

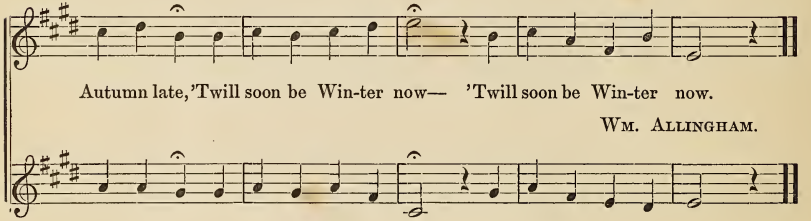

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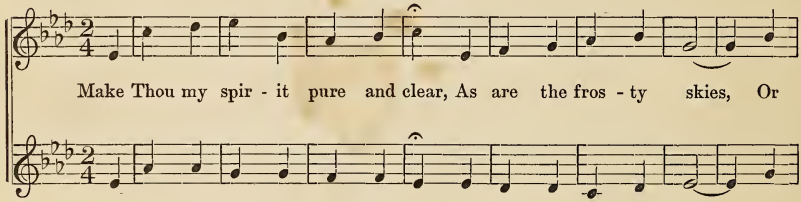
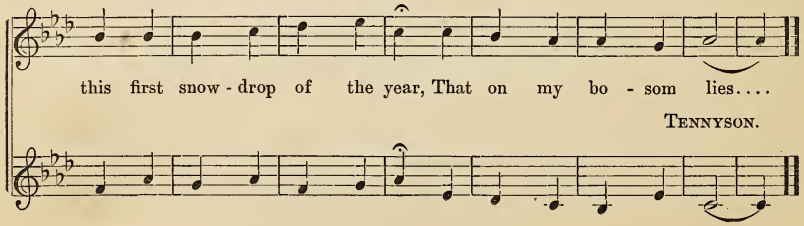




TENNYSON.

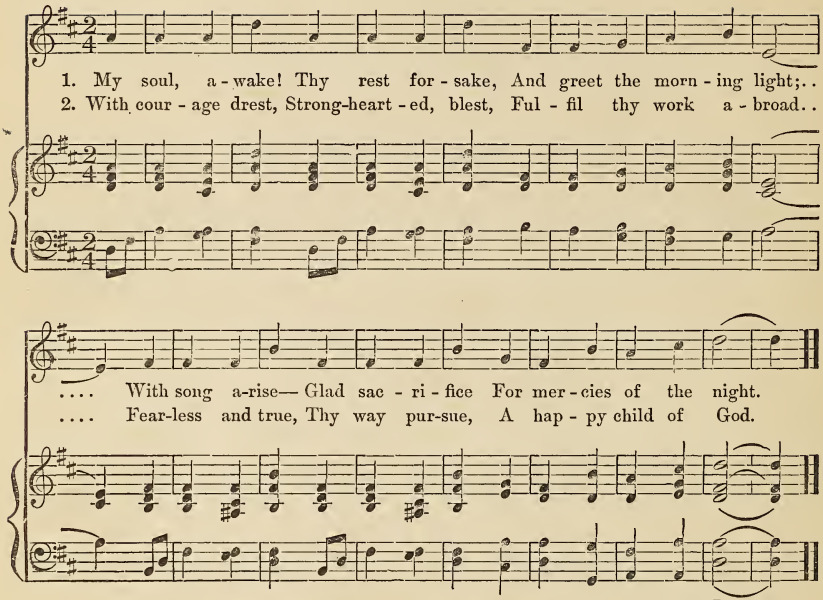
PART III.—SONGS.

RISE, MY SOUL!

1. Rise, my soul, a - dore thy Mak - er! An - gels praise, Join thy lays; With them be par - tak - er.
2. Thou by night wast my Pro - tect - or: With me stay All the day Ev - er my Di - rect - or.
3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Giv - er Of all good, Life and food, Reign, a - dored for - ev - er!

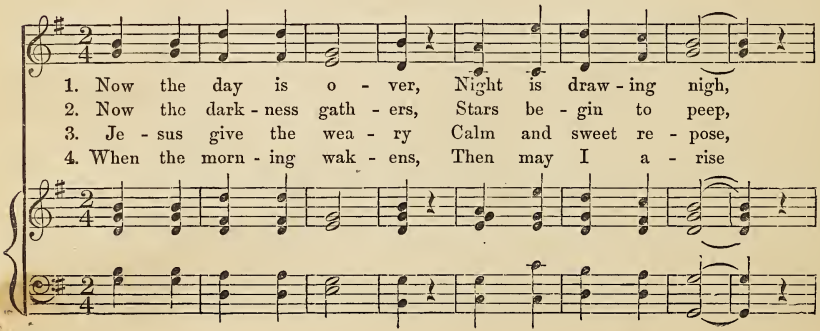
CENNICK.

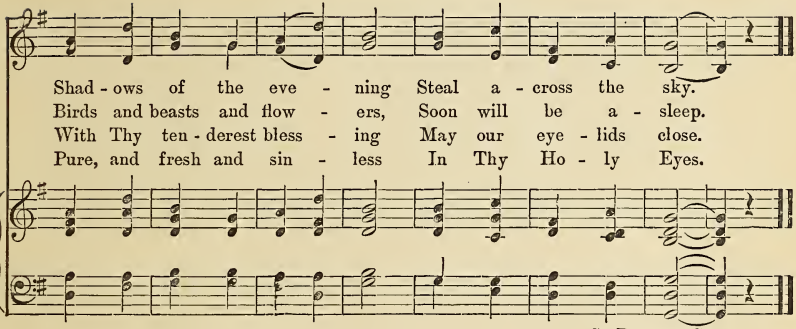
My Soul, Awake!



Jane Livock.

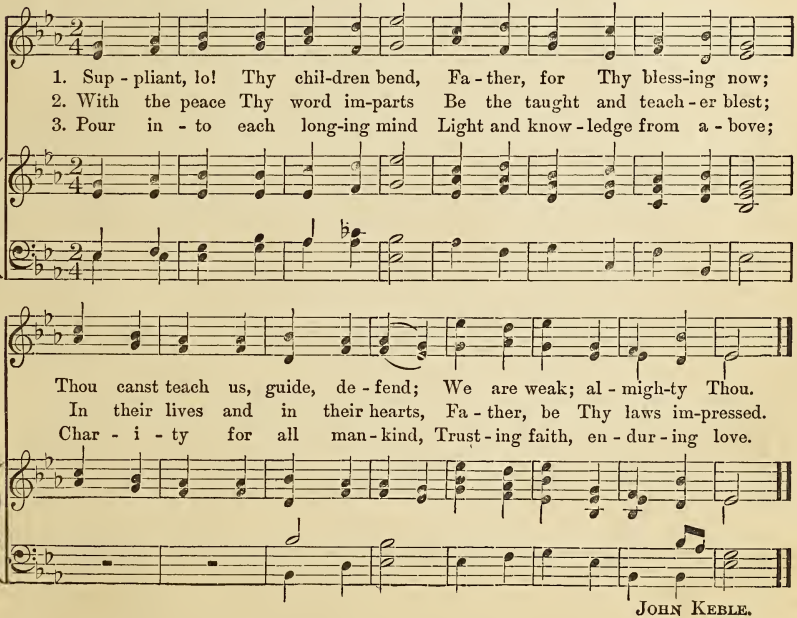
Now the Day is Over.





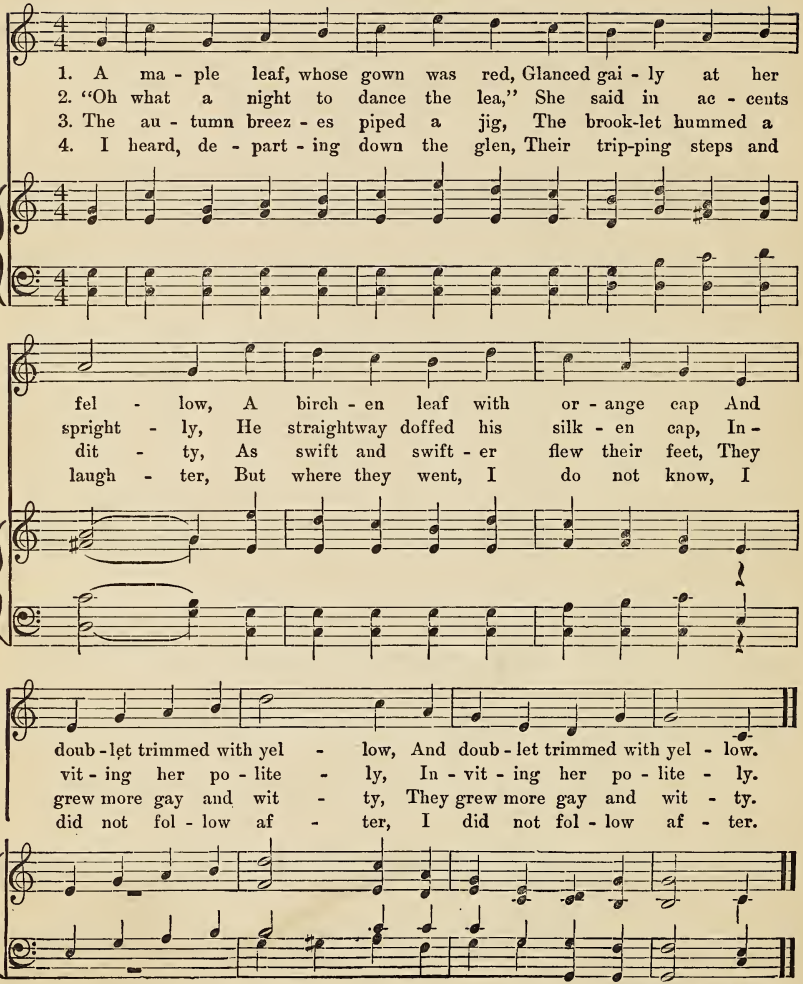
S. BARING-GOULD.

SUPPLIANT, LO! THY CHILDREN BEND.



JOHN KEBLE.

Dance of the Leaves.



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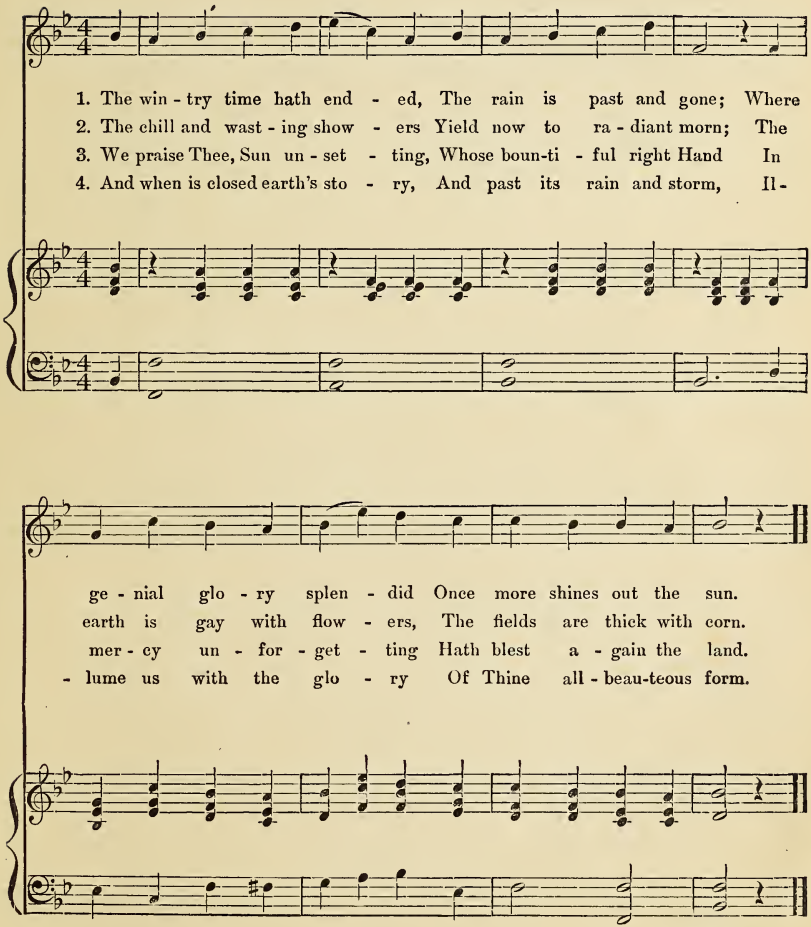
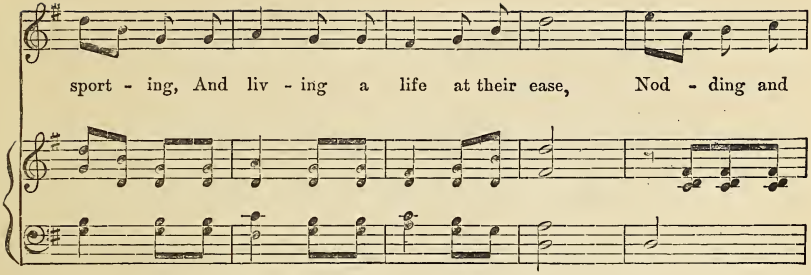

1. The win - try time hath end - ed, The rain is past and gone; Where
2. The chill and wast - ing show - ers Yield now to ra - diant morn; The
3. We praise Thee, Sun un - set - ting, Whose boun-ti - ful right Hand In
4. And when is closed earth's sto - ry, And past its rain and storm, Il -
ge - nial glo - ry splen - did Once more shines out the sun.
earth is gay with flow - ers, The fields are thick with corn.
mer - cy un - for - get - ting Hath blest a - gain the land.
- lume us with the glo - ry Of Thine all - beau-teous form.

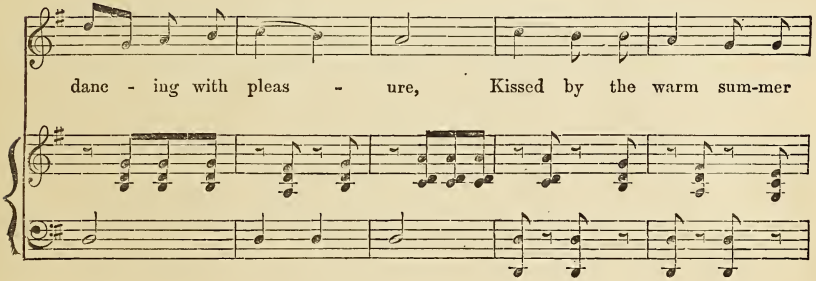
LITTLEDALE.

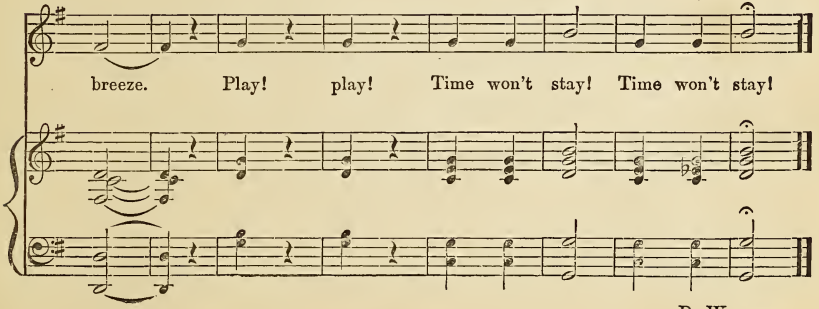
Spring has come, spring has flown; Why, I can't say; He melt - ed the

snow, filled earth with a glow, Court-'sied and speed - ed a - way,

Court-'sied and speed - ed a - way. Ros - es, grass, birds are all


sport - ing, And liv - ing a life at their ease, Nod - ding and


danc - ing with pleas - ure, Kissed by the warm sum-mer


breeze. Play! play! Time won't stay! Time won't stay!

P. WOOLF.

MY COUNTRY! 'TIS OF THEE.

1. My coun - try! 'tis of thee, Sweet land of lib - er - ty, Of thee I
2. My na - tive coun - try, thee— Land of the no - ble free— Thy name—I
3. Let mu - sic swell the breeze, And ring from all the trees Sweet freedom's
4. Our fa-thers' God! to Thee, Au - thor of lib - er - ty, To Thee we

sing; Land where my fa - thers died! Land of the pil - grims' pride!
love; I love thy rocks and rills, Thy woods and tem - pled hills:
song: Let mor - tal tongues a - wake; Let all that breathe par - take;
sing; Long may our Land be bright With free - dom's ho - ly light,

From ev - ery moun - tain side Let free - dom ring!
My heart with rap - ture thrills, Like that a - bove.
Let rocks their si - lence break,—The sound pro - long.
Pro - tect us by Thy might, Great God, our King!

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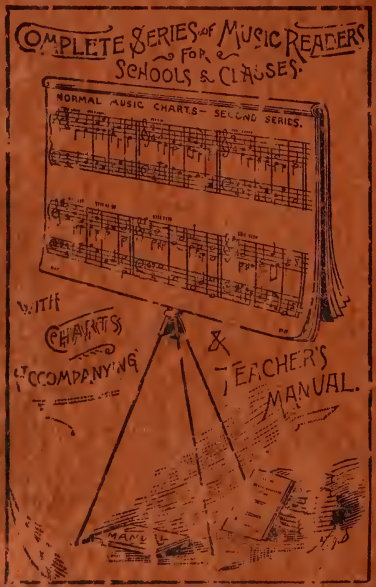

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